

B. O. BELL already is telling his friends about the fishing—plain and fancy—he has been doing.

He has tried Fort Phantom Lake, Possum Kingdom, the new Lake Leon near Ranger, Paint Creek Lake and others, declaring each time he had brought in some nice strings.

Funny thing is that while fishing from the dam the other day at Paint Creek, he was trolling along the bottom. He hooked what he thought was a log when his line snagged something on the bottom. When he tried to dislodge the bait the log suddenly came alive, zipped to the top of the water and spit the bait back to him. Bell said the fish were so lazy they wouldn't pull—just took the bait when it came near them and expected the fisherman to jerk the bait off in their mouths.

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A HAMLIN YOUNGSTER, being scolded for his poor grades on his report card, had this observation to make:

"Dad, what do you think is the trouble with me—heredity or environment?"

THE QUESTION of whether to go to college or not is bothering a lot of young people in these parts at this time of year as high school graduation time is upon them.

One Hamlin young man recently reported to the dean of an Abilene college to talk about his entry into the school. He told the dean at length:

"According to mother going to college is to fit me for the presidency; by Uncle Jim's version it's to sow wild oats; my sister says it's to get a chum for her to marry; and dad said, 'Go to college, son and bankrupt the family.' Are my reasons acceptable, dean?"

CECIL FOX, game warden from Spur, president of the famous Spur Rattlesnake Rodeo Association, was a guest speaker at the Tuesday noon luncheon of Hamlin Lions Club. He brought the members and guests up-to-date on rattlesnakes.

Although interesting, his talk didn't seem to sell many of the Lions on rattlesnake hunting, eating or venom "milk."

Fox had a wire cage full of assorted rattlesnakes which he and others had caught near Spur. He gave some demonstration on the handling of the serpents—and had plenty of room to demonstrate as he began pulling the snakes out of their box. The rattlers had kept up almost a constant din of rattling during the luncheon.

"The male and female are easily discernable after a little practice," Fox declared; then proceeded to show the difference. He went on to say that the snakes mate early in the spring and bear their young—usually from 15 to 18—during August. A rattlesnake drinks like a horse, dipping his mouth into water. A snake has no ears, but "hears" through the vibrations of his tongue.

When a snake strikes his prey, like a rabbit or ground squirrel or mouse, it takes about eight minutes for the animal to die. Fox said he saw one snake eat three ground squirrels at one feeding—then he ran out of squirrels. He told of another snake swallowing a grown jack rabbit. The job took about an hour and a half, and the meal would last the snake about six weeks, he said.

Fox said a sure way to tell a poisonous snake from others was by his extremities. Blunt nose and blunt tail characterize the poisonous snakes.

Contrary to popular opinion, rattlesnakes cannot stand much heat, Fox declared. "Throw a rattlesnake down on hot sand in the summer-time and he will die within five minutes," he said.

A HAMLIN WOMAN was visiting a friend the other day in Anson and was admiring a new baby boy in the home.

"What a handsome baby!" exclaimed the visitor. "Does he resemble your husband?"

"I hope not," replied the wife, "we adopted him."



FLOODED FARM SCENE—The horse in the foreground came up to a farm house near Granbury in search of feed as pastures near the Brazos River have been inundated by the rising waters. Heavy rains have kept the river out of its banks in the lowlands.

Weldon Johnson Elected as Hamlin Foundation President

Swimming Pool Is Free of Debt, Report Declares

Weldon Johnson, railroad agent in Hamlin, was elected new president of the Hamlin Foundation when leaders of the organization met last Monday in special called session in the lobby of the bank for a business session. The foundation was formed two years ago as a unit to build a community swimming pool.

With W. T. Johnson, retiring president, in charge, the financial report favorably revealed the swimming pool free of debt. All contributors and solicitors of this cause during the past two years should feel themselves proud of the success of the project, Johnson pointed out.

Necessary repair to the pool were discussed. Plans are for the completion of the partitions in the ladies' dressing rooms, reprocessing of the filtration system, repair to a hole which has developed in the bottom of the pool, installation of a gate to the chlorination plant, and repainting of the buildings.

Representatives from the Xi Gamma Pi and the Hamlin Forum were accepted for membership on the board of directors, the board being composed of one delegate from each civic organization or club of Hamlin. The board is now made up of 15 directors.

From these directors the following officers were elected for the year:

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Rowdy Bunch of HHS Seniors Leaves Tuesday for Bus Trip to New Orleans

It was a rousing, rowdy bunch of Hamlin High School seniors who boarded two chartered buses Tuesday afternoon about 2:00 o'clock and set their sights on New Orleans, Louisiana. It was the annual senior class trip that had as passengers 47 members of the 49-student class and six adult chaperones.

Schedule for the group for the five-day outing was about as follows:

Leave Anson at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday, arriving at Forest Park

Children of Grades Given Standard Tests

All children in the Hamlin grade schools have been given standardized tests the past few weeks, reports Superintendent of Schools C. F. Cook.

"I know some parents are interested in the results of these tests," Cook says. "Teachers of our schools will be happy to discuss the results of your child's test with you."



REV. JOE TYSON (above) of Harlingen, outstanding youth evangelist, will direct six special services on family emphasis at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene beginning next Tuesday evening. The public is invited, declares Rev. Bill Hanna, the pastor.

Nazarene Church Slates Spiritual Emphasis Revival

A family spiritual emphasis revival will begin at the Church of the Nazarene next Tuesday evening, according to plans announced by Rev. Bill Hanna, pastor. The meeting will consist of six services, with Rev. Joe Tyson of Harlingen as special speaker.

First service will be held in the Primary School cafeteria at 7:00 p. m. Tuesday. This meeting will consist of a family fellowship dinner, after which Bro. Tyson will bring the message. The following services will be conducted in the church itself. The local choir and a children's choir will provide special music for the campaign.

Rev. Tyson designed and built his challenging and unusual program originally for youngsters, but it now attracts all ages. The theme for the revival is "Christ for Our Family."

Emphasis is being sponsored by the Sunday School of the church of which M. S. Johnson is superintendent, who extends an invitation for all to attend.

Wayne Gray and Patricia Martin have been appointed captains of two teams which will compete for attendance honors during the meeting.

Fisher-Jones County Singers Meet Sunday

Singers and song lovers of the Hamlin section are expected to attend in good numbers the regular monthly Jones and Fisher County singing Sunday afternoon at the Foursquare Gospel Church in Hamlin, located at the corner of Southwest Avenue D and First Street.

Singing will get underway at 2:00 o'clock, to which the public is invited.



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FFA Dairy Team Wins In Contests at State

Ginger Cheshier Wins Shorthand Honors for State

Ginger Means Cheshier, Hamlin High School senior, won the Class A conference shorthand contest at the state Interscholastic League meet held Saturday at Austin.

Ginger and Elizabeth Norton placed first and second in the district meet at Haskell, and at the regional meet at Brownwood, to qualify for the state meet.

At the state meet the contest was five minutes of dictation at 100 words a minute with an hour to transcribe their notes. Ginger had a 99 per cent accuracy to win. Elizabeth placed fourth in the state with a 97.8 per cent accuracy.

Ginger won an individual medal and a plaque for the Hamlin High School and, according to a brief research, this is the first state winner for HHS, according to Dora Mitchell, commercial instructor at the school.

Ginger and Elizabeth were accompanied to Austin by Miss Mitchell and Judy Harden, ready writer contestant, and Sara Fomby, extemporaneous speaker. The latter two did not place in the state events.

Choir of Junior High Gets Second Rating

Hamlin Junior High School Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Nash Miers, won a second rating in concert singing at Anson last Saturday. Both girls' ensembles also received second ratings. Nina Jean, Dora Palmer, Melinda Martin and Janice Richardson were awarded first ratings for their vocal solos. Janice Richardson also received a first rating in twirling.

VISIT IN LONGVIEW.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fowler and son and Mrs. P. A. Fowler visited in Longview last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Fowler Jr. and baby.

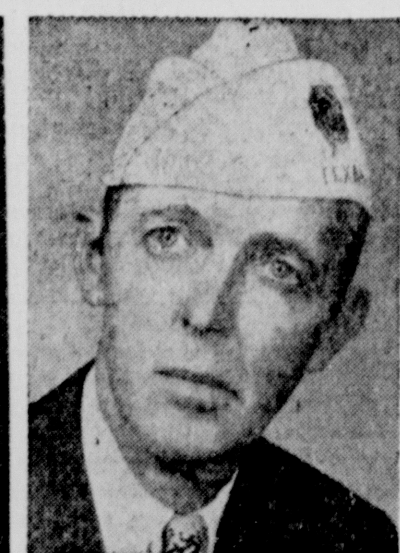
Organization of Little League Teams Completed with Naming of Players

Organization has been completed of the four teams in the Hamlin Little League, it is reported this week by George C. Campbell, president.

Practice sessions will be conducted Saturday night at the Little League diamond in West Hamlin, and actual league play is scheduled to get underway next Monday night. A complete schedule of games is carried in another article in today's Herald.

The four teams, with their members and managers, are listed as follows:

Braves—Dick McClung, Garland Preston and L. W. Shivers, managers; Gary Woolf, bat boy; Larry Butler, Max Cowan, Spec Cox, Larry Grimm, Buddy Mc-



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A SPECIAL TRAVELING EXHIBIT prepared by the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, housed in a walk-through type bus, will be open for viewing by Hamlin area people next Tuesday between 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. when it will be spotted just south of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank. The exhibit is free, says L. E. Prewitt, chairman of the community services committee of the Hamlin Rotary Club, which is sponsoring the informative exhibit.

Atomic Energy Unit To Be Here Tuesday

Newest traveling exhibit of the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission will be shown in Hamlin Tuesday, May 14, under sponsorship of the Hamlin Rotary Club, according to announcement by L. E. Prewitt, chairman of the community service committee of the club.

The exhibit will be located just south of the F. & M. National Bank from 10:00 a. m. till 4:00 p. m. It is shown in Hamlin as a part of a state-wide showing in Texas, Prewitt said.

The exhibit is a self-contained, walk-through mobile unit housed in a modern bus type vehicle. Entitled "Atoms for Peace," it is the latest in a series of traveling atomic energy exhibits prepared by the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission as part of its many programs to bring the latest information on atomic energy to the general public in a concise, easy-to-understand form.

The exhibit is one of four "Atoms for Peace" mobile units now touring the country under the sponsorship of the National University Extension Association and the National Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Visitors to the exhibit hall, in a relatively short period of time, obtain a comprehensive picture of the many ways in which the peaceful atom is playing a more and more important role in our everyday life. A series of panels, several of them operated by the spectator himself, explain research and development in the atomic energy field, ranging from the mining and refining of radioactive ores to the construction of nuclear reactors designed to provide electric power.

In addition, the visitors will learn some of the many uses of radioisotopes—the so-called "tracer atoms"—in medicine, agriculture and industry. The exhibit also contains actual samples of radioactive ore, simulated fuel elements, reactor control rods, radiation detection devices and other materials.

There is no admission charge. Points out Prewitt. Every resident of the Hamlin area is invited to visit the exhibit for an informative glimpse of the peaceful atom.

Yankees—Prentice Holland and Cecil Brown, managers; Randy Brown, Jimmy Haught, Marvin Kirkland, William Stephens, Joe Yocham, Merlyn Holland, Nick Moroe, Cleon Warner, Jeff Willis, Dwayne Bounds, Larry Cronk, Lannie Foster, Ronnie Lorenz and Danny Maberry, players; John Orville Holland, bat boy.

Cardinals—Lewis Finannon, Bernie Cumble and Dr. M. L. Smith, managers; Sperland Stone, Eugene Franklin, Barry Moore, Tommy Shelburne, Andy French, Mark Smith, Jaylon Finannon, Ronny Teichelman, Joe Hayes, Jimmy Inzer, Allen Cumble, Thomas Ferguson and Charles Siburt, players.

Joe Carroll Foster to Get Engineering BA

Among the 229 students in the college of engineering at the University of Texas at Austin who are candidates for bachelor of science degrees to be awarded on June 1 is a Hamlin young man.

He is Joe Carroll Foster, who is scheduled to receive a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering.

Joe Murff Named Second High Man In State Scoring

Dairy cattle judging team of the Hamlin chapter of Future Farmers of America placed third in the state FFA judging contests staged Saturday at Texas A. & M. College. Gene Murff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Murff, was the second high scoring individual in the entire contests.

Other two members of the dairy judging crew were Joe Deel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deel, and Boyce Blankinship, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Blankinship. Blankinship, local teacher of vocational agriculture in the high school, coached the team.

Gene Murff received a gold medal as second high individual, and the team received a beautiful engraved FFA plaque to add to the chapter's winnings of the year, which are expected to total more than 15 banners.

The poultry judging team from Hamlin, which qualified to attend the state contests last Saturday in Lubbock, failed to place in the high 10 teams of the state contests. Team members were Jim Stinnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stinnett; Roy Houghton, son of Eugene Houghton; and Kenneth Lawlis, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawlis. Harold Eades coached the poultry team.

While on the campus of Texas A. & M. College the two teams were taken on a tour of the campus and the college farm facilities by Blankinship and Eades, who are ex-Aggies. The boys spent Friday night in dormitory facilities on the campus and visited with students in learning about life on the campus. Blankinship and Eades said the boys really enjoyed their visit on the campus and got a lot of good from such a trip.

The dairy cattle judging team participated in the Heart of Texas Dairy Show and judging contests at Waco last Friday on their way to College Station.

"Talking relieves tension," says a physician. If so, there are some persons who must be as relaxed as used rag dolls.

Who's New This Week

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wilson of Odessa are announcing the arrival on April 8 of a new eight-pound son at the Medical Center Hospital in Odessa, after 16 years of marriage. The father is an engineer with BJ Service, Inc. Mrs. J. S. Dickey of Hamlin is a grandmother of the new arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crow of Badsden, Alabama, became the parents of a daughter on April 20. The little miss who weighed eight pounds eight ounces at birth, has been named Marie Annette. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crow Sr. of Hamlin are paternal grandparents.

Four new citizens have been recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last report in The Herald. Three girls and one boy they are:

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis arrived April 29 at 3:05 p. m. Weighing six pounds 15 ounces, she has been named Cheryl Renee.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Max Trevino of Hamlin on May 1 at 12:30 a. m. After checking her weight at seven pounds seven ounces, she accepted the name of Maria Victoria.

A girl arrived for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller of Hamlin May 1 at 2:45 a. m. She will answer to Janice Lynn. She tipped the scales at six pounds nine ounces.

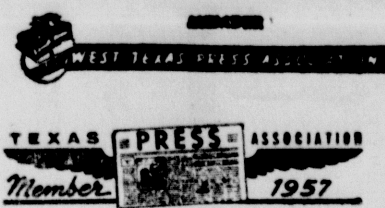
A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon R. Spivey of Hamlin on May 1 at 10:55 p. m. After having his weight checked at eight pounds three ounces, he was labeled Jerry Paul.

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METHODS OF CUTTING FEDERAL BUDGET

Most of us here in this far-away Hamlin community give little thought to what is going on up at Washington. But those goings-on should definitely be part of our concern. We are the government actually, even though we send our representatives to the capital to handle our affairs.

The proposed \$71,800,000,000 federal budget—largest in our peace-time history—has caused more stir and more concern than any domestic problem in a long time. And that concern is not of a partisan nature. It is shared by men high in the president's official family, and by senators and representatives of both parties.

There are all manner of suggestions as to where and to what extent this budget can be cut. The details of budget cutting constitute a field for the experts. But you don't need to be an expert to understand one thing—that the logical place to make the deepest cuts is in areas where the government is carrying on jobs, at taxpayers' expense, which could and should be done by taxpaying private enterprise.

This simply means that it is time we got the government out of business. And an excellent place to begin would be the non-

taxpaying socialized electric power systems.

Some time ago various prominent men suggested that these systems be sold to private enterprise. That proposal gained wide and enthusiastic response. Unfortunately, little has been heard of it lately. But it is even more valid, even more urgent, now than in the past. Sale of the systems would bring in a huge amount of money. It is felt that some of the systems, incidentally, would bring the government more than they cost, as they were built at a time when the dollar had much greater value.

That would be only the beginning. The systems, for the most part, are both free of taxes and are subsidized by taxes. In paying hands, the subsidies would end—and in addition the systems would become major taxpayers. The importance of this is illustrated by the fact that the average independent utility company now pays about 23 per cent of all its revenues from power sales in taxes.

It would take time to make these sales. Meanwhile, we could further brighten the budget picture by putting the socialized systems on a business basis and demanding that they pay all the costs of operation, as do private concerns—including taxes.

Plain and Simple Facts

There has been a great to-do over recent small increases in the price of crude oil, and in fuel oil and gasoline prices. Much of the debate is of a technical nature, and the layman has no means of deciding who or what is right. But there are certain relevant and important facts that anyone can understand.

Finding oil is a risky business, as many an operator in the Hamlin territory will tell you. The great majority of wildcat wells turn out dry and worthless. Many wells which do produce oil do not produce enough to be very profitable.

Costs connected with finding and developing crude oil supplies have all risen. Wages and material prices have followed an upward trend. Drillers must go deeper into the earth. Where, in 1950, these costs amounted to 40 per cent of the average price of a barrel of crude, they amounted to 60 per cent in 1955 and have reached higher levels since.

There is one way, and one way only, that we can encourage men to take the long risks involved in finding oil. That is to assure them that they will make a reasonable profit if the yare successful. If men stopped in this search, because they could see no way to make such a profit, it wouldn't be long until we would suffer catastrophic oil shortages.

Finally, the consumer's prime interest is having gas and other oil products available when and where he wants them, and in any quantity wanted. This is a far more important matter than a minor increase in prices.

Like the Emperor's Clothes

"Whence comes all the supposed clamor that the federal government spend more money?" That question is asked by The Wall Street Journal.

The obvious answer, constantly made by many men in government, is that the people are demanding ever-bigger spending and that their wishes must be obeyed. But the Journal points out that, according to official reports, mail received at the White House, the treasury and by congressman has been heavily weighted with expressions of alarm at the high spending, and with pleas for economy. Businessmen, housewives and farmers are among the letter writers.

So the Journal concludes: "We wonder what would happen if some shrewd politician were to ask, Where is all this large public clamor for bigger spending? We suspect he would find that, like the emperor's clothes, it was never there at all."

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper, The Herald.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

From the files of The Hamlin Herald of 20 years ago are taken the following news briefs about Hamlin community people and events, reproduced from the issue of May 7, 1937:

Several men were burned and injured Monday morning about 11:55 o'clock when an 80,000-barrel storage tank filled with oil caught fire from lightning. Superintendent Fred Hulse of the General Crude Oil Company plant, west of Hamlin, says the fire, which could be seen at night for many miles, burned itself out after 27 hours. The loss, fully covered by insurance, is placed at \$175,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hopper returned Wednesday from Morton, where they attended the funeral of a sister of Mrs. Hopper.

Opal Cory entertained members of the Gala Bridge Club at her home Tuesday evening. Attendees included Vencie and Nettie Bowen, Irene and Ruby Thompson, Viva Milstead, Myrtle Cohorn, Pearl Hudson, Elsie Wiencke and Lennie Greenway.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson and little daughter, Faith, made a trip to San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. Pat Bullock of Coleman was here Sunday to visit her brother, D. W. Stell, and family.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Items of interest in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated May 9, 1947:

Area cattle ranches will be visited by members of the West Texas Hereford Association when they make their annual tour on May 13, 14 and 15.

Sid Meadows and James Bates, Santa Fe engineer and fireman, went away ahead in the West Texas Fish Rodeo Tuesday morning when they landed a 10-pound bass from the Hamlin West Lake. The fish measured 23 inches long and was snaggled on a fly rod with a minnow for bait.

Wheat prospects in the Hamlin territory are looking good following continued good rains in the area, declare raisers who have been contacted by the Herald reporter.

Rev. J. T. Crawford, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, has rejected a call to a much larger church in Houston, he announced to his local congregation Sunday.

Arliene Morgan became the bride of John C. Bryant Wednesday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Amerison. Rev. E. A. Reed of Vernon officiated.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

Among news items carried in The Hamlin Herald of five years ago were the following, condensed from the issue of May 9, 1952:

Jones County Democrats conducted an orderly county convention at Anson Tuesday. Joe Culbertson of Hamlin was one of four delegates named to the state convention.

Curtis M. Dodd has been named manager of the Safeway store at Hamlin, replacing Gene Sanders, who is being transferred to Breckenridge.

Twenty-seven Boy Scouts from Hamlin's Troop 43 attended the district camporee at the Swenson Jog on the Brazos River near Lueders last week-end.

A spring football classic for the Hamlin community is scheduled for next Tuesday night at Pied Piper field when members of this year's graduating class play next year's hopefuls. Coach Red Burditt is coaching the present crew while Bob Nunley is coaching the exes.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Considered news a year ago by The Herald were the following items, reproduced in brief from the issue dated May 10, 1956:

All Hamlin delegates to the Jones County Democratic convention were instructed to vote for Lyndon Johnson at the county convention Saturday, but the county delegation was named unopposed. Lee McCaleb of Anson was made county chairman.

Decision to trim the bleachers and make other minor changes in plans for the \$160,000 gymnasium was reached this week in order to bring the cost down on the project which last week brought a low bid of \$25,000 more than anticipated cost.

Hamlin High School's FFA dairy judging team won high honors at area contests Saturday at Texas Technological College, and will go to state contests this week. On the team are Davey Weaver, Gene Steele and Clifford Green.

Flooded Pastures Cause Expansion of Cattle Receipts as Prices Drop Some

Expansion of the cattle receipts was general over the country Monday, and at Fort Worth a part of the increase was credited to movement of cattle and calves out of low-lying pastures by the high water, declares Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for The Herald, in his weekly release. His release continues: In some cases the cattle were reported moved off pastures which are now at the bottom of some of the larger lakes.

Other shippers reported they were starting shipping a bit earlier than usual because of their reluctance to wait until the annual summer break in cattle prices hits the grass fat variety of yearlings and older cattle. "The high prices on grass cattle cannot be expected to hold once hot weather comes," was the way one East Texas cowman put it. "A sharp price break would more than offset any gains we could put on."

Slaughter cattle and calves opened in the face of sharply lower bids at Fort Worth Monday, but reliable stocker demand and some independent packer support offset the worst of the low bids. Prices on slaughter cattle and calves ranged from steady to 25 to 50 cents lower. Stocker classes were firm.

Comparative prices: Good and choice fat yearlings and heifers brought \$19 to \$23; few mature steers arrived. Common and medium yearlings and heifers cashed at \$12 to \$18; fat cows, \$12.50 to \$15, some heiferish kinds to \$16. Canners and cutters drew \$8.50 to \$12.50. Bulls were reported from \$11 to \$15.75.

Good and choice fat calves sold from \$19 to \$22.50, a few fancy kinds, \$23 and \$23.50; cull to medium slaughter calves, \$10 to \$17; stocker calves, \$23 down, and stocker steer yearlings, \$21.50 down.

Upwards of 12,000 sheep and lambs arrived at Fort Worth Monday, one of the largest runs of the spring. Trade was active from the start and prices were fully steady. Once again packers were taking virtually all of the offering, as slaughter prices were well above feeder limits on most kinds.

Good and choice spring lambs drew \$22 to \$23.50, and cull, common and medium spring lambs sold from \$15 to \$21. Good and choice shorn old crop lambs cashed at \$18 to \$21.50, with lambs with No. 1 pelts at \$21.50. No. 2 pelts sold from \$21 down, and

No. 3 pelts sold from \$20.50 down. Cull to medium shorn lambs cashed at \$12 to \$17.

Aged slaughter ewes cashed at \$5 to \$7, and old bucks sold from \$5 to \$5.50. Two-year-olds sold from \$16 down. Aged wethers drew \$12 down.

Choice butcher hogs topped at \$18.50 to \$18.75 at Fort Worth Monday, or steady to 25 cents above the previous close. Medium grade hogs sold from \$15 to \$18. Sows cashed at \$15 to \$16.50.

Judges and supervisory committees for the stocker-feeder special at Fort Worth Livestock Market were announced Monday by the Texas Hereford Association and the Texas Angus Association. The sale will be held Friday, May 10, and will be open to all breeds, but the associations will judge entries of their own breeds.

Secretary Henry Eldred reported Herman Carr of Weatherford and Jeff Slocum of Cresson will judge the white-faced entries, and Secretary Glen Tole said the blacks would be judged by Joe Lemley of San Angelo and Les Ljungdahl, manager of the Esar Ranches, who lives in San Antonio.

President R. J. Roeder of Yorktown announced the Hereford stocker-feeder special committee to serve the rest of the season would be Kirk Edwards of Henrietta, Elton Dudley of Comanche, Herman Carr of Weatherford, Ferd Slocum of Cresson, D. Burns of Guthrie, Watt Matthews of Albany, Clyde Wells of Granbury and D. G. Talbot of Fort Worth.

President Herman Allen of Menard announced the Angus stocker-feeder special committee would be Stewart Sewell of Jacksboro and Bill King of Grapevine.

Early entries Monday indicated a sizeable number of stocker cows, heifers and several shipments of pairs of cows and calves would be in the offering. Some of these cattle are pure-breeds, and many others are from top commercial herds.

LOOKS FAMILIAR.

A rabid golfer came home to dinner after a game. During the meal his wife said, "Willie tells me he caddied for you this morning."

"Here, now!" exclaimed Willie's father, "I thought I'd seen that lad before."

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SEEKING RELIEF.

Distraught mother to group of wild children at birthday party: "There will be a special prize for the one who goes home first!"

Baptists of Territory Set Abilene TU Clinic

More than 150 Baptist churches in Northwest Texas, including the churches of Hamlin and territory will send their elementary Training Union workers to Abilene for a one-day workshop on new methods and techniques.

The meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church from 2:30 through 9:30 p. m., and is sponsored by the Training Union Department for the Baptist General Convention of Texas of Dallas and for the Southern Baptist Convention of Nashville, Tennessee. About 350 persons are expected to attend.

VISIT IN OKLAHOMA.

Mrs. M. A. Johnston of Hamlin and Dr. and Mrs. Tom Welch and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. John O. Moore in Oklahoma City Sunday. Messrs. West and Moore are daughters of Mrs. Johnston.

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Girls—Cel Albritton, Carolyn Barnett, Sarah Berry, Ruby Campbell, Linda Carlton, Hazel Crew, Joy Crawford, Janis Crowley, Mary Ellison, Annette Fletcher, Judy Harden, Mary Jo Hubbard, Vermelle Johnson, Pauline Mayfield Bond, Georgia McDonnell, Elizabeth Norton, Mittie Ann Ray, Annette Smith, Lavada Telchelman, Charlotte Wallace and Mary Ann Willbanks.

Ginger Means Cheshire did not make the trip because of the serious illness of her grandmother. Adults making the trip were

FOUNDATION

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ensuing year: Weldon Johnson, president; Bill Harbert, vice president; Mrs. Frankie Wilson, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Lennie Cochran, reporter.

The outgoing president expressed appreciation to the members, directors and officers for their cooperation and support, and the directors commended Johnson for his direction and leadership during the past year.

Pending completion of necessary repairs, plans are to have the pool ready for use around June 1, it was announced.

Principal B. V. Newberry: G. T. Black and Dora D. Mitchell, sponsors; and Mmes. Noel Weaver, A. G. Smith and A. B. Carlton, room mothers.



He's dressed for play in a washable corduroy suit by Tumble-Togs. Bright checked cotton flannel lines the jacket which has a zip front. The longies have a full elastic waistband and two straight front pockets.

Spur Rattlesnake Rodeo Film Seen At Lions Meeting

A colored film on highlights of the 1956 annual Rattlesnake Rodeo for West Texas peace officers, held each year on the Horace Woods ranch near Spur provided the program at the Lions Club weekly luncheon Tuesday noon at the oil mill guest house.

The film, brought by Horace Woods himself and the president of the Rattlesnake Rodeo Association, Cecil Fox. Fox also is a Texas game warden for the Spur area.

The film, and narration by Woods informed the Lions and guests of the formation of the unit, which annually is held for peace officers of West Texas. A feature of the gathering is a display of marksmanship by the officers with pistols. Qualifying rounds are conducted with contenders shooting at paper targets at 75 feet. Then qualifiers are pitted against each other in contests of shooting at the heads of rattlesnakes thrown into an enclosed sand pit.

The film was novel and entertaining. More than 350 people attended this year's Rattlesnake Rodeo, Woods said, held on April 27 at the Woods ranch.

Fox talked about rattlesnakes, and gave demonstrations with a cage of the serpents he brought along for company. More information about the snakes is carried in the Popvalve column on the front page of today's Herald.

Announcement was made that rehearsals are underway on the Lions Club Minstrel, to be staged next Thursday, May 16, at Hamlin High School auditorium. Tickets are available from Lions. Proceeds from the minstrel will be used for club projects.

Representatives of the Hamlin Lions Club are due to attend the annual District 2-T convention at Brownwood this week-end.

Besides Woods and Fox, other guests at the Tuesday luncheon were Whitmore Haynes, of Chicago, Illinois, Buster Lowery of Denton and C. F. Cook.

STRICTLY BUSINESS

by McFeatters



"Er, Dear..."

IN THE FIRING LINE.

Hearing a strange noise in the night, a country minister investigated and found a burglar running the kitchen. He took his shotgun and called down from the stair landing:

"Beloved friend, I wouldn't harm you or any of God's creatures—but you are standing where I am about to shoot."

Go to The Herald for pen refills.

REALLY IN A JAM.

The young son of the house returned home from school in a dither.

"I don't know what to do, Pop," he complained. "The teacher says I have to write more legibly, but if I do she'll find out that I can't spell!"

The secret of success in life is known only to those who have not succeeded.—John Curton Collins.

Floyd Lain Dies Last Thursday of Heart Attack

Funeral rites for Floyd Lain, 51-year-old farmer of the Hanna community southeast of Hamlin, and brother of Jim Lain of Hamlin, were conducted Friday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Anson.

Lain died early Thursday morning in Anson General Hospital after suffering a heart attack at his home earlier.

Services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Mabrey of Ackerly, assisted by Rev. W. T. Williams of Anson, pastor of Hanna Baptist Church of which Lain was a member.

Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery at Anson with Lawrence Funeral Home directing arrangements. Pallbearers were nephews of the deceased.

Lain was born January 17, 1906, in Camp County. He was reared in that county and moved to Jones County when he was married to Margaret Scott on August 5, 1939.

Survivors include the wife; three children all of the home, Gerald 16, Ruth 12, and Charlotte 11; four brothers, Jim Lain of Hamlin, Shelton whose address is unknown, Duron of Waco and Bill of Pittsburg; two sisters, Mrs. Jeff Davis of Greenville and Mrs. W. A. Hoffman of Ennis.

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James Rodgers Made Honor Group at Tech

A Hamlin young man, James E. Rodgers, was one of 56 students at Texas Tech College recently elected to the Tech chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, national scholastic honor society.

Young Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rodgers of Hamlin, is a junior accounting major at Tech. He had a grade point average of 2.61, which amounted to almost a straight A.

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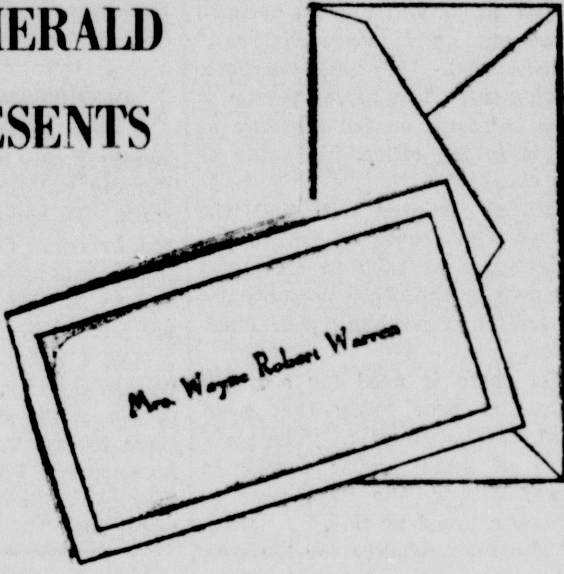
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Sunday School Total Attendance Drops Again Last Sunday

Sunday School attendance at one of reporting churches of Hamlin showed a further decline Sunday, dropping to 1,299 from the 1,372 total of the week previous. The total also was less than the year ago figure.

Attendance totals, by churches, for May 5, April 28 and a year ago follow:

Churches—	May	Apr. 28	Year Ago
No. Cen. Baptist.....	85	82	80
First Baptist.....	399	512	395
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist 52	27	64	
Mexican Baptist.....	38	40	43
Ch. of Nazarene.....	87	94	98
First Methodist.....	176	188	216
Foursquare Gospel..	64	57	71
Faith Methodist.....	49	58	28
Sunset Baptist.....	60	42	41
Church of Christ.....	150	140	143
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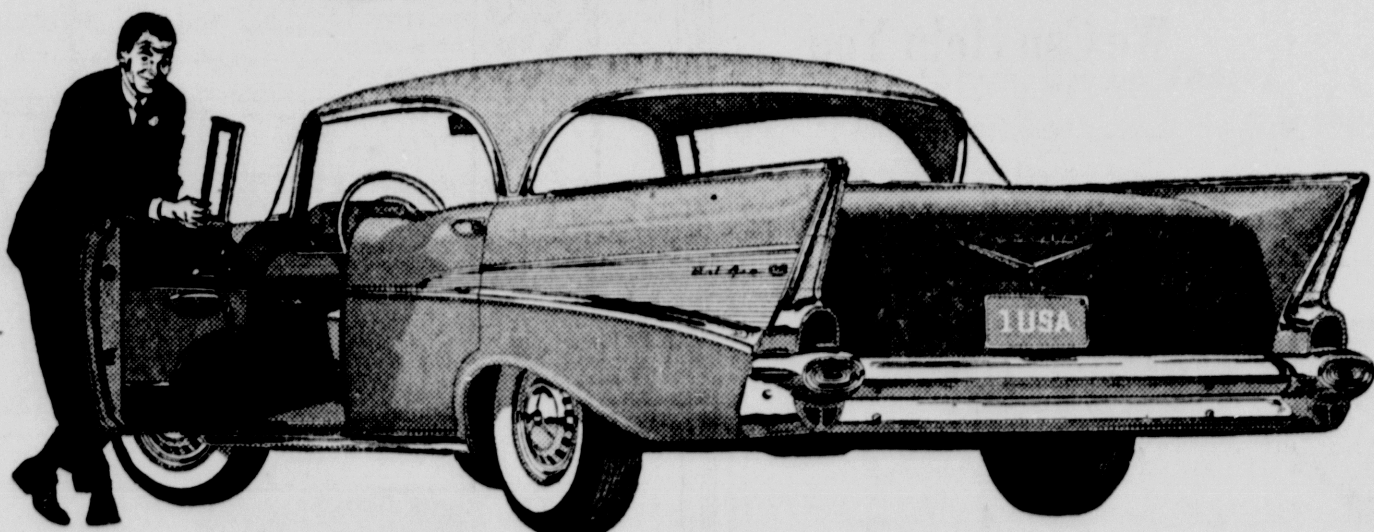
Bette June Teague Wins Second Place

Bette June Teague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Teague of Hamlin, took second place in the district correct posture contests Saturday night at Abilene. She had won first in the local contest conducted last Monday. The Abilene placing gave her \$15 in cash.

Jean Knight of Winters won first place in the Abilene district contest, sponsored by area chiropractors. She will represent the district at the Texas Chiropractors Association convention next month at El Paso.

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APPLES	17c
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ORANGES	8c
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CELERY	20c
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Blackeyed Peas	19c
Golden Ripe	Pound
BANANAS	11c

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Ready to Bake	Pkg.
Frozen Rolls	37c
Donald Duck	6-Oz. Can
Orange Juice	16c
Keith's	10-Oz. Pkg.
PEACHES	20c
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The Herald's Page for Women



Annette Fletcher, Bride-Elect of Dee Prewit, Honored at Tea Friday

Annette Fletcher, bride-elect of Dee Prewit, was honored at a gift tea Thursday evening from 7:00 until 9:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Art Carmichael.

KNOWS HIS TEACHER.

Junior was listening intently to a lecture given by his high school chemistry teacher on the properties of acids.

"Now," said the teacher, "I am going to drop this silver dollar into this glass of acid. Will it dissolve?"

"No, sir," said Junior somewhat cockily.

"Then perhaps you will explain to the class why it won't dissolve."

"Because," came the answer, "anybody knows if it would dissolve you wouldn't drop it in!"

BOOK SHOP NEWS

Surprise! We have in a shipment of pictures—the ones we have been telling you about. They are large, medium and small in size. Lovely scenes, florals and popular subjects.

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Or, you won't go wrong if you choose a Prince Gardner or a Princess Gardner Billfold for a Mother's Day or Graduation gift. All colors, styles and price range. Don't forget that the graduate, either boy or girl, likes Autograph Books, Diaries, Photo Books and Scrapbooks.

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McCaulley FHA Unit Names New Officers

Officers of the McCaulley High School Future Homemakers of America met April 23 in the home-making cottage to nominate new officers for 1957-58.

Girls nominated have met certain qualifications to hold office in the FHA chapter. These girls were elected by the chapter group the following day: Frances Hill, president; Betsy Ann Maberry, vice president; Charlene Bowen, secretary-treasurer; Mary Curry, recreation leader; and Mary Davis, historian and reporter.

Mrs. Bob Tegart directed the guests into the dining room. The tea table was laid with a white linen cut-work cloth. The centerpiece was of blue and yellow carnations, the bride's chosen colors. Two love-birds in a cage with a nest and a banger held in each bird's mouth bearing "Annette-Dee, May 25." Yellow candles burned in crystal holders.

Mrs. Stanley Carmichael ladled punch. Mmes. W. S. Seals, Eddie Jay and Lloyd Burkhardt alternated at the tea table. Elva Siburt and Charlotte Wallace assisted with the serving.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were on display.

Mrs. Mildred Hymer registered the guests and said the good-byes. Sixty-five attendants were registered.

Mrs. Carl Andress, president of the Gardena, California, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority chapter and former member of the Hamlin chapter, was chosen the outstanding girl of the year at the Founder's Day banquet recent.

The traditional presentation of the outstanding girl of the year from each chapter highlighted the meeting. The Gardena chapter won awards in achievement and in the scrapbook contest for that district.

Mrs. Andress is the former Eva Louise Fowler, daughter of Mrs. Paul Fowler of Hamlin.

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THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"I hate to quit while I still have money, but my feet are killing me!"

Understanding of Baby's Attitudes Will Help to Solve Discipline Problem

Toward the beginning of the second year of life there comes a change in the attitude of parents toward their baby, declares Dr. Dorothy V. Whipple, AP News-features writer, in a release to The Herald. This is a very important change, but one of which many parents are only dimly aware.

The baby becomes able to do things "on purpose"—real things, such as pulling lamps over, throwing food on the floor, biting, soiling himself. By this time the baby is able to go places—first with lightning-like speed in crawling and soon upright on those wobbly legs. His ability to get about increases the number of things he can do, many of which can drive his mother crazy. Also he is learning to communicate his wishes with words. Soon after he can say "Mama" and a few such words, he learns the all powerful "No." Often it is this the most important word in his vocabulary.

When the baby is able to do all these things, we begin to expect him to conform to our way of life. We talk about good behavior and bad behavior. Good is what pleases us, bad is that which is troublesome for us. Good and bad are from the adult point of view. They have little or nothing to do with what pleases the child. Now this is where the big change in attitude comes in. When the baby is tiny we think only of what pleases the baby. Mighty few mothers become annoyed with their baby because he soils himself, spits up a mouthful of milk or accidentally bumps over a dish of cereal. We don't expect a baby to be able to help doing these troublesome things. Mothers clean up the mess, and hug and love the baby just the same. Love is free, so to speak, to the baby. He can just be himself and it's all right and he is loved.

But later, love begins to have a price. Mother shows her love when her baby is good and she withholds it when he is bad. This is all right if it doesn't go too far. Little children do have to learn to conform. But it is helpful to look the matter squarely in the face and understand what we are doing—try to understand looking up at life from the eyes and heart of the baby himself.

A baby needs to be loved; he needs to feel he is pretty much o. k. with those who important people, Mom and Dad. Also he needs to learn to do some things and not to do others.

When you really think about love having a price it is not hard to figure out how to manage. Make sure that you show your love when things are going well; don't just ignore the baby with a sigh of relief that he is not into something and you can get your work done. Talk to him, sing to him (even from the other room), throw him a toy as you pass, let him know you think he is wonderful.

Try your best to make it impossible for him to do many bad things. He is not old enough to under the laws of physics. It is fun to pull on the dangling edge of the tablecloth; he doesn't yet know that disaster will follow, so keep him and the tempting cloth

Two McCaulley FHA Girls Go to State Meet

Two McCaulley High School girls of the Future Homemakers of America chapter, Frances Hill and Dorothy Herbst, and their sponsor, Bill Robinson, attended the state FHA meeting in Dallas April 26 and 27. The girls are both sophomores.

Miss Hill went as a voting delegate from the McCaulley chapter. They left Thursday morning and returned Saturday afternoon. They stayed in the Adolphus Hotel while in Dallas.

RIGHT PROPORTIONS.

Will—"The trouble with him is he's temperamental."

Bill—"That's right—two per cent mental and ninety-eight per cent temper."

apart. Prevent as many "bad" acts as you possibly can.

For those you cannot prevent, stop the child and say no to nothing. This is a kind of love rather than punishment. It is quite enough. Your child wants and needs you to love him and he will learn the difference between behavior that brings your warm enthusiastic approval and behavior that brings cool indifference from you.

As the child gets a wee bit older he comes to understand that Mommy doesn't like certain things and that life is pleasant when Mommy is nice. And he also understands that it is the "bad things" Mommy doesn't like; that it is never Ricki she doesn't like. Mommy loves all of Ricki all the time—it's just some things Ricki does she doesn't like.

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Moral Responsibility of Auto Driver Needs to Be Practiced on Highway

The driver who professes his religion in church, but doesn't practice it in traffic is a highway hypocrite.

This indictment of careless drivers was made this week by J. O. Musick, general manager of the Texas Safety Association, as he discussed the moral responsibility of motorists. Highway morality is emphasized in the spring phase of the back-the-attack on traffic accidents campaign.

"Morality cannot be put on or taken off at will like an optional accessory on a late model car," Musick said. "It's basic character equipment. The moral person is just as moral on the highway as he is in his office, his home or his church."

Musick pointed out that the driver who cheats on traffic law observance or fails to safeguard his own or the other person's life in traffic is revealing poor character.

"If there is need for a moral code anywhere today that need is in traffic," he said. "The spectacle of 2,611 traffic deaths in Texas during the past year is dramatic proof of this."

"The responsibility for his own safety and the safety of all he meets in traffic rests on the driver. This responsibility in-

cludes the obligation to do all in his power to prevent an accident even when danger is occasioned by the wanton carelessness of another," Musick said.

He urged all drivers to be a positive force in the attack on traffic accidents by driving defensively—that is, driving in such a manner as to avoid accidents by anticipating and allowing for hazards created by the unsafe acts of others and by adverse traffic and weather conditions. "In doing so," he said, they will be discharging their responsibility to God and their fellow man.

DIVERTED ATTENTION.

A very short, very fat woman bought a new hat that featured a flaming red flower on a six-inch stalk. It looked exactly like a red beacon. One of her friends finally mustered up enough courage to suggest that the hat was not becoming.

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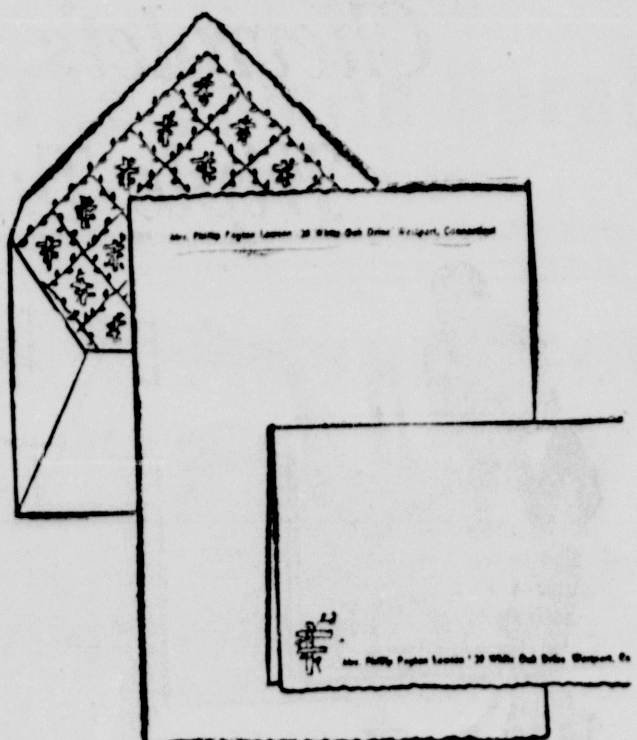


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State Capitol NEWS

By Vern Sanford,
Manager, Texas Press Association

Austin.—Texans will be a long time cleaning up from one of the greatest flood disasters in the state's history.

Nearly 10,000 persons were forced out of their homes and some 25,000 square miles were affected, according to official estimates.

State, national and private agencies are cooperating to help the flood victims. At the request of Governor Price Daniel, President Dwight D. Eisenhower designated the flooded counties as "major disaster areas." It brought an immediate flow of funds, equipment and supplies to aid State Disaster Relief headquarters.

Governor Daniel also asked the Legislature for \$20,000 to replenish the National Guard's fund for emergency work.

As waters receded in most areas, people began to take stock of the future. Though crop damage was estimated as high as \$30,000,000, most farmers took a long range view.

Many missed the corn planting season and will have to switch to sorghum or some other crop. Others have put cattle back on dry feed after seeing the best pasturage in years ruined by floods. "But," they say, "at least it's wet."

Water conservationists point to the flood-ruined areas as "Exhibit A" in the case for more dams and lakes. Ramping rivers could be held in check, they say, saving top soil and water for future use.

It's Governor Lock Now.—Senator Ottis Lock of Lufkin became governor for a day and received all the honors customarily paid on such occasions.

May 3 long will be remembered by the 46-year-old lawyer who has served 18 years as a state official.

He issued a proclamation designating the day as Texas Inter-scholastic League Day; addressed the high school journalists assembled in Austin; served coffee and cake in the reception room of the governor's office; and attended a banquet given in his honor by his many Lufkin friends.

As president pro tem of the Senate, Lock became governor for a day when Governor Daniel and Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey left the state on official business.

Long Talk.—Longest filibuster in Texas Senate history brought only a "moral victory" for opponents of school segregation bills.

Senators Abraham Kazen Jr. and Henry Gonzalez teamed up to

talk 36 hours and two minutes against a bill to allow school boards to assign pupils to certain schools. When they finally quit, their colleagues passed the measure and sent it back to the House for concurrence on a minor amendment.

Proponents agreed to delay for a few days taking up the other segregation bills.

Previous filibuster record was 31 hours and 25 minutes set in 1949 by opponents of a medical bill.

Kazen and Gonzalez were aided by prolonged questions from other anti-segregation minded senators. Those who opposed the bill included Senators R. A. Weinert, Bruce R. Resgan, Hubert Hudson, Carlos Ashley, Charles Herring and Frank Owen III.

ICT Report.—Senate ICT committee's voluminous report had no kind words for those who had been connected with the \$4,000,000 failure.

It said the company was founded contrary to law and operated in a negligent, haphazard and downright fraudulent manner. It sharply criticized Ben Jack Cagle one-time ICT manager, and labor leaders who had helped Cagle sell union people on investing in ICT. Unions officials, it said, had been compromised by "lavish entertainment" or the payment of money. Their attitude was called "negligent or at least complacent."

Committee made 20 recommendations for tightening laws to prevent future ICTs. One would make insurance company officials criminally liable for false statements. Another would place insurance securities under supervision of a securities commission.

Naturopaths Set Back.—Naturopaths are in a worse quandary than ever now that the State Supreme Court has ruled their licenses to practice are no good.

This upheld a lower court ruling that the 1949 licensing law was unconstitutional.

Texas naturopaths will be in court again next week when Representative James E. Cox of Conroe comes to trial. Cox is charged with consenting to accept a bribe from a TNA member in return for killing a bill outlawing naturopathy.

Insurance Reorganization.—Governor Daniel is riding a crest of triumph after House passage of his plan to reorganize the Texas Insurance Commission. After weeks of wrangling and nip-and-tuck committee votes, final approval was by a lopsided 109 to 25 vote.

House version calls for a three-man, full-time board all to be appointed by the governor. Senate already has passed a similar bill calling for a part-time board.

Both versions would remove from office John Osorio, the present commission chairman, and Member Mark Wentz. Opposition by their friends in the Legislature was one of the main obstacles to reorganization passage. Joe P. Gibbs, the third member of the commission, was appointed recently to serve temporarily.

Thumbs Down.—In the push to clear the legislative calendars, a lot of bills are falling by the wayside. Measures which already have hit the dust include those to: Abolish the property tax on automobiles and substitute higher registration fees; provide for redi-

KERRY DRAKE



tricting of county precincts; require county judges to be lawyers; allow cities on local option to elect officials for four years instead of two; raise the minimum age for senators from 26 to 30 years and the minimum for representatives from 21 to 25 years; require persons over 60 years of age to obtain an annual exemption certificate to vote; prohibit cities from annexing property across county lines; and allow cities to issue bonds to build municipal parking lots.

Approved.—Measures which apparently have made the grade: Allow use of tax money to advertise the state of Texas; levy penalties for tossing litter on public

roads, parks and beaches; make it unlawful to carry a switchblade knife; permit skipping of jury trials in lunacy cases; create a new Texas Securities Commission to handle regulation now divided between the Texas Insurance Commission and the secretary of state's office; create a system of full-time paid supervisors for paroled convicts; and define rights of REA co-ops to operate in areas annexed by cities.

Short Snorts.—First six officials to file statements of their personal business interests under the new code of ethics bill were Representatives Joe Pool, Tom Joseph, Joe N. Chapman, Herman V. Puckett Jr., Rufus U. Kilpatrick

and State Auditor C. H. Caviness. . . . New U. S. Senator Ralph Yarborough is slated as the main speaker at a state convention of the Democrats of Texas May 18 in Austin. Identified with the liberal-loyalist block, the DOT has been sharply criticized by the Democrat state executive committee.

CANDID COMMENT.—A woman never gets out of breath running up a charge account.—The Wall Street Journal.

SUBJECT IS IMPORTANT.—It's difficult to get the average person to listen to you these days—unless, of course, you talk to him about himself.

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Decline

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending April 27, 1957, were 20,826 compared with 25,319 for the same week in 1956, revealing a decline from the year ago figure. Cars received from connections totaled 11,868 compared with 12,317 for the same week in 1956.

Total cars moved were 32,694 compared with 37,636 for the same week in 1956. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,761 cars in the preceding week this year.

Rubber hands at The Herald.

GETTING ALONG.

A clerk, checking over an applicant's papers, was amazed to note the figures 127 and 123 in the spaces reserved for "Age of father, if living" and "Age of mother, if living."

"Surely your parents aren't that old?" the surprised clerk questioned.

"Nope," was the answer, "but they would be, if living."

C.O.D.—COST ON DAD.

The notion that when children grow up and get married parents can relax was blasted again the other day when a Los Angeles woman received a phone call—collect—from her daughter in Chicago asking for a recipe. The mother gave it to her, then asked, "Why don't you buy a cook book?"

"Don't be silly," said the daughter. "That costs \$3."

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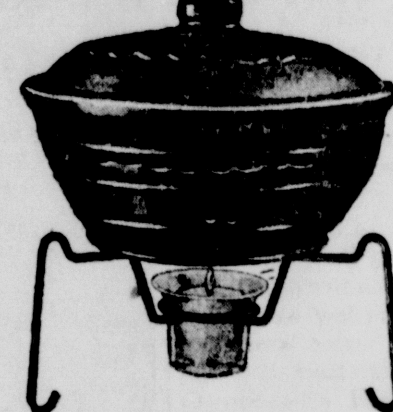
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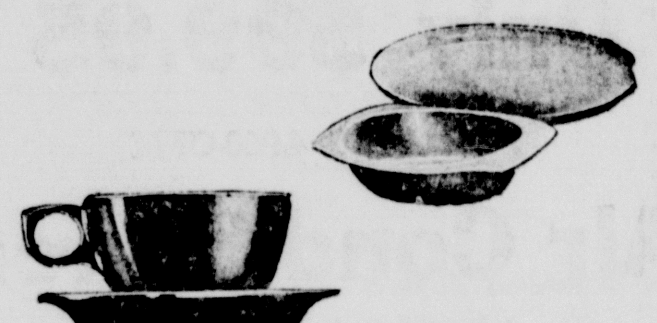
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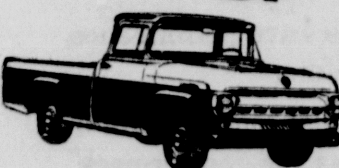
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- Taste Tells Catsup Picky Flavor 2 14-Oz. Bottles 29¢
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- Russet Potatoes Economy 10-Lb. Bag 39¢
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- Babo Cleanser Ideal for Woodwork 2 1/2-Oz. Can 21¢
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- Instant Pream Powdered Cream 1-Lb. Jar 31¢
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- Handy Budget Brooms Durable Each 75¢
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- Kitchen Charm Wax Paper 100-Sq. Ft. Roll 22¢
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Legionnaires and Auxiliary of Area Meet Week-End

Legionnaires and auxiliary members from the 16th, 17, 18th, 19th and 21st Congressional Districts, comprising the Fifth Division of the American Legion will assemble at Sweetwater Saturday and Sunday, May 11 and 12, for their annual spring convention. Among attendants will be vets of the Hamlin area.

Registration will begin at 9:00 a. m. Saturday at the Bluebonnet Hotel and at the Legion home. There will be a parade, beginning at 2:00 p. m., which will be followed by a stag party from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. The annual convention dance will be held in the National Guard armory from 9:00 p. m. to 1:00 a. m.

Joint session of the American Legion and Auxiliary will start Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m. Speaker of the House Waggoner Carr will deliver the principal address. Department Commander Joe L. Matthews of Fort Worth will also be a guest speaker. The sessions will be presided over by Vice Commander Hilton C. Lambert of Snyder.

Some people don't have much to say, but you have to listen a long time to find it out.

Grubs in Area Lawns Can Be Controlled With Various Poisons

Considerable damage to lawns in the Hamlin area has been reported the last two years, and lawn owners are urged to safeguard their grass this year with counter measures.

Much of the damage in the area to lawns is done by the white grub. In the larvae stage it is white with a brown head and has six prominent legs, each about one-half to one inch long. The adult is the common June bug or May beetle. They feed on the roots and underground portions of stems of grasses and other plants. This pest may be controlled by using a five per cent granular dieldrin. Broadcast the chemical on the lawn and water the lawn by soaking the chemical into the root area of the grass. Chlordane may also be used by spraying or dusting and also watering.

LEAVE IT TO COOK.

The young housewife was giving an even younger housewife some cooking instructions. "Then add five gluks of custard," she concluded.

"Five what?" she was asked.

"Gluks."

"What's a gluk?"

"Oh, for heaven's sake!" said the young housewife. "Tip the jug until it says 'gluk' and do that four times more."



AFTER FILIBUSTER MARATHON—State Senators Henry B. Gonzales of San Antonio (left) and Abraham Kazen Jr. of Austin, after ending their 36-hour filibuster that set a record for the Texas Legislature. The two senators combined forces to filibuster against a House passed segregation bill. Kazen started the filibuster and talked for 15 hours while Gonzales went 21 hours. The bill was passed despite the filibuster.

Estimated 85 Men From County Are Registered in 1957

An estimated 85 Jones County young men registered with their draft board at Anson during the first quarter of 1957. A total of 17,207 young Texans registered with state draft boards during the three-month period, Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state selective service director, said Thursday.

Federal law requires that all males register on their eighteenth birthday, or within five days thereafter. Since the law was enacted in 1948, all males born since August 30, 1922, have had and now have a legal obligation to register, except those not yet 18.

Colonel Schwartz, the state draft director, emphasized that young men who join the National Guard or other reserves of the armed forces must register when they are 18. Membership in reserve organizations does not relieve them of obligation to register.

During the first quarter of 1957 Texas draft boards sent a total of 2,510 males into the armed forces, and during the same period a total of 7,654 Texans went into uniform by enlistment, making a total of 10,164 entries during the three-month period.

During the same time a total of 9,200 Texans were separated from all the services.

During January, February and March state selective service sent



ROCK HOUND—Cute Betty Stein, one of San Antonio's poster girls, has been chosen "Miss Precious" by the Texas Federation of Mineral Societies to represent them at their National Gem and Mine Show to be held in San Antonio. A freshman coed at San Antonio College, Betty will be official hostess for the show with its expected attendance of 12,000 "Rock Hounds."

a total of 8,171 men to the armed forces examining stations for the combined pre-induction physical and mental examination.

Of this number a total of 5,047 passed the tests, and the remaining 3,124 were rejected, a rejection rate of 38 men out of every 100 examined.

Rev. Egger Attending Conference Meetings

In Lubbock Tuesday to attend two meetings of officials of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference was Rev. Darris L. Egger, pastor of his First Methodist Church.

He attended a meeting of the board of missions of which he is conference secretary; and the administrative council. He was accompanied to Lubbock by Rev. W. A. Appling, pastor of St. John Methodist Church in Stamford.

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HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have in order: Mrs. R. H. Cooper, surgery, April 29; Peter Comacho, medical, April 29; Mrs. C. E. Gregory, medical, April 29; Jack Townley, medical, April 29; Morris Jean, medical, April 29; Mrs. Clyde Lewis, ob., April 29; Johnny Waldrop, surgery, April 30; Mrs. R. T. Whitehead of Blackwell, surgery, May 2; Mrs. V. R. Spivey, ob., May 1; W. F. Brannon of Peacock, medical, May 1; Mrs. Joe Rivers, medical, May 1; James Ray of Aspermont, medical, May 1; Mrs. W. L. Burk of McCaulley, medical, May 1; Mrs. Roy Hart, medical, May 1; Henry White, medical, May 2; Bruce Hallmark, medical, May 2; Harry Stacy, medical, May 2; Mrs. Harold Lee, medical, May 3; Mrs. Cleo Pettit, medical, May 3; Royce Wisener of Stamford, medical, May 3; Billy Pool, medical, May 3; Betsy Maberry, medical, May 3; T. P. Nail, medical, May 4; R. T. Spaulding, medical, May 4; Mrs. W. L. Meeks, medical, May 4; Merle Copeland, medical, May 4; Sharon Embry, medical, May 4.

Burgess, May 1; Mrs. Wilton Hayes, May 2; E. S. Williams, May 2; Mrs. Audrey Hodnett, May 2; Mrs. Jack Townley, May 2; Mrs. Floyd Winslett, May 3; Mrs. R. H. Cooley, May 3; Peter Camacho, May 3; Mrs. Clyde Lewis, May 3; Mrs. V. R. Spivey, May 3; Mrs. Joe Rivers, May 3; Harry Stacy, May 3; Mrs. C. E. Gregory, May 4; Mrs. Clarence Miller, May 4; Mrs. R. T. Whitehead of Blackwell, May 4; W. F. Brannon of Peacock, May 4; Mrs. R. H. Cooley, May 3; Peter Camacho, May 3; Mrs. C. E. Gregory, May 4; Mrs. Jack Townley, May 2; Mrs. Max Trevino, May 1; Mrs. Clarence Miller, May 4; Mrs. R. T. Whitehead, May 4.

Moisture Conditions In Santa Fe Region Generally Adequate

Moisture conditions generally in Texas are adequate to excessive except in the area west of San Angelo and south of Lubbock, according to the monthly crop condition report of the Santa Fe Railway, just issued for May.

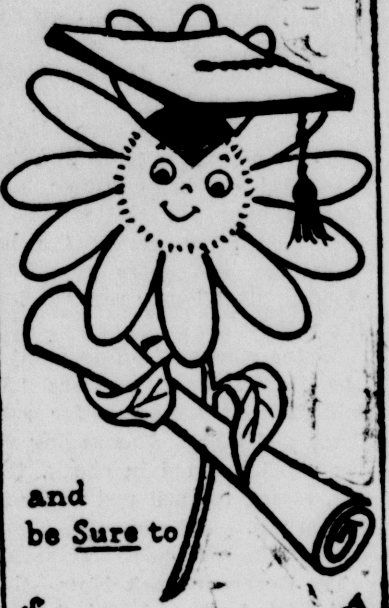
Wheat in the important High Plains counties continues to improve, as additional moisture is received; however, there are numerous fields which are blowing severely because of lack of ade-

quate vegetative cover where heavy rains have packed the soil. Corn, sorghum and cotton planting is well along in North and East Texas and is underway in the Low Rolling Plains. In the Coastal Bend area, corn and some of the sorghum crops are nearly knee high. Planting of potatoes and carrots in the Hereford-Muleshoe area is underway; however, the cool weather has delayed growth of these crops.

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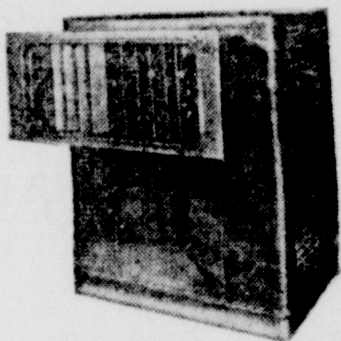
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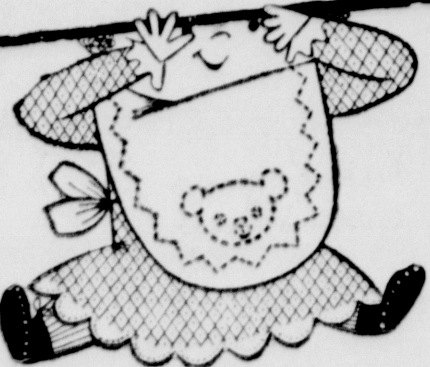
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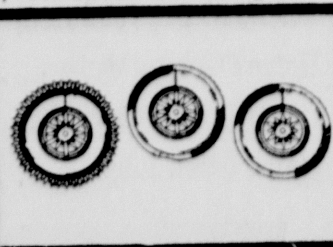
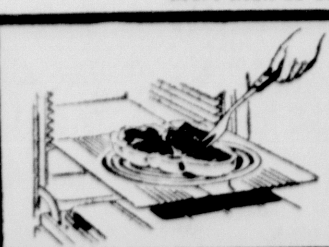
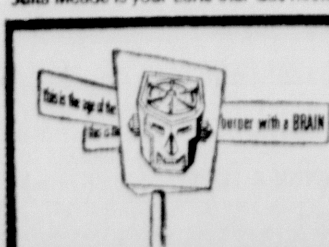
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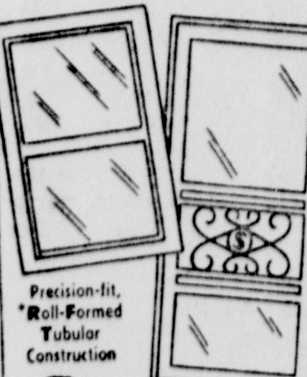
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Methodist Youth Fellowship Plans Vesper Services

Members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will have charge of the vesper service Sunday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. Bill Murff, MYF president for next year, will preside. This will be the youth emphasis of National Family Week, which closes Sunday, Rev. Darris L. Egger, pastor, points out.

In special observance the Girls' Sextet of the Chanters of McMurry College at Abilene will present a special 30-minute sacred music concert at the vesper service. Appearing on the program are Betty Shewbert of Lubbock, Jo Ann Poulten of San Angelo, Barbara Haddox of Abilene, Nancy Crawford of Hereford, Anita Mashburn of Vernon and Mary Ella Bignon of Big Spring. Accom-

FINALLY LEARNED.

Having lived all four of her years on the desert, Valerie knew only toy fire engines. After moving to a small city, she was highly excited one day when a real fire engine roared into the neighborhood and put out a fire in a garage.

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panist will be Rose Marie Swiedom of Abilene.

Following the worship service the sextet will be entertained in the Methodist Youth Fellowship hour in the church basement. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Alford Harden, the youth sponsor.



ANOTHER WILT?—Warrnell Jones, 17-year-old basketball star on the Booker T. Washington High School team at Conroe, shows Coach James Barnhill how he drops the ball into the basket while standing flat-footed on the floor. The six-foot 11-inch senior scored 628 points in 20 games for an average of 31.4 last season. Jones, a straight A student, is being sought by no less than 14 colleges and universities, but hasn't made a decision as yet.

VISIT FROM EAST TEXAS.

Mrs. Etta Stephenson had as her guests first of the week two nieces, Mrs. M. E. Boyd and Mrs. J. D. Spence of Sulphur Springs.

ANNIVERSARY THOUGHT.

Mrs. G. — "Well, Henry, we've been married 40 years, and in all that time you've never deceived me."

Mr. G. — "Why, thank you, dear."

Mrs. G. — "And I must say you have tried hard enough."

T. A. Jean, Farmer Of Area 40 Years, Dies Wednesday

After more than 40 years of farming and ranching in the territory west of Hamlin, T. A. Jean, died last Wednesday at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital at the age of 79. He had been in ill health for about five years, and had been a patient at the hospital for nine months.

Born at Blum, Hill County, on October 17, 1877, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jean. He married the former Donie Heath at Blum on August 21, 1898. He moved to West Texas in 1916, where he had farmed and ranched in the Hitson community, six miles west of Hamlin, for many years.

Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. He was a member of the Hitson Baptist Church. Officiating were Rev. R. A. Guthrie, Hitson pastor; Rev. Calvin Bailey, pastor of the First Baptist Church; Rev. Woodrow McHugh, pastor of North Central Avenue Baptist Church; and Rev. R. E. Tiner, pastor of Sunset Baptist Church.

Interment was in the Afton Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were grandsons of the pioneer farmer.

Surviving Jean are his wife, Mrs. Donie Jean; three sons, V. M. Jean and M. S. Jean of Hamlin and T. A. Jean Jr. of Wichita Falls; four daughters, Mrs. Addie Humphrey of Mesquite, Mrs. Ethel Caldwell of Hamlin, Mrs. Eunice Flint of Haskell and Mrs. Edna Branch of Odessa; two brothers, G. T. Sipe of Hamlin and W. C. Sipe of Kingman, Arizona; one sister, Mrs. Sallie Coody of Covington; 15 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Melvin M Hunter Dies Monday at Veterans Hospital

Melvin Marion Hunter, 69-year-old farmer of the McCaulley community, who had been ill for more than two years, died Monday of last week in a Phoenix, Arizona, veterans hospital, where he had been a patient for several months.

Born May 25, 1887, at Tigua, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hunter. He came with his family to the McCaulley community 65 years ago, and since manhood had farmed in the community for nearly a half century. He was a member of the McCaulley Baptist Church.

Burial was in the McCaulley Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Virgil Steele, Rufus Herbst, Bill Owens, Ernest Webb, Bill Kean, Cecil Woods and Raymond Meirs.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the McCaulley Baptist, Rev. Gene Y. Brock, pastor, officiated at the rites.

Survivors include three brothers, Carl Hunter of Dallas, O. D. Hunter of Dallas and Joe Hunter of Fort Worth; one sister, Ruth Hunter of Fort Worth; and four nieces.

SOMETHING IN COMMON.

Mike—"I'm going to see the doctor about my wife. I don't like the way she looks."

Ike—"I'll go with you. I don't like the looks of mine either."



FHA PRESIDENT — Lela Lark of Midland was elected president of the Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America in Dallas. She turned down a chance to become DeMolay Sweetheart in Midland to take the homemaker post.

SISTER IMPROVED.

Mrs. Charlie Sellers has returned home from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. I. A. Millhorn at Baytown, who is reported improved following an auto accident. Mrs. Millhorn sustained a broken arm in the accident.

NECKING AROUND.

"What has 24 legs, green eyes and a pink body with purple stripes?"

"I don't know. Why?"

"It's crawling around your neck."

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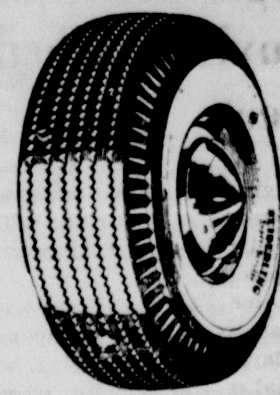
Fifty-five new books have been added to the Harden Memorial Library. They are the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Payne of Corpus Christi, friends of Mrs. Karen Harden Bynum.

Most of the books are best selling fiction of the past five years. Others are historical and biographical works.

Among the titles included are: "The Wayward Bus" by John Steinbeck, "Saints and Strangers" by Wilson, "Devil's Laughter" by Verby, "Tomorrow Will Be Better" by Betty Smith, "Desperate Hours" by Joseph Hayes, "Rain-Tree Country" by Ross Lockridge Jr., "The Gypsy in the Parlor" by Margery Sharp, "My Pride and My Folly" by Susanne Butler, and "The Silver Oar" by Howard Breslin.

This brings the number of books in the library to about 1,000.

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Four Little League Teams to Begin 36-Game Schedule Next Monday Night

A 36-game schedule for the four teams in the Hamlin Little League has been announced by officials of the unit, with first game slated for Monday night, April 13.

Games will be played each Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, weather permitting, with the exception of May 23, when graduation exercises at Hamlin High School are planned. The week-

end games that week will be played Friday and Saturday.

Complete schedule of games as released this week follows:

May 13—Giants vs. Yankees; May 14—Braves vs. Cardinals; May 16—Giants vs. Braves; May 17—Cardinals vs. Yankees.

May 20—Yankees vs. Braves; May 21—Cardinals vs. Giants; May 24—Yankees vs. Giants; May 25—Cardinals vs. Braves.

May 27—Braves vs. Giants; May 28—Yankees vs. Cardinals; May 30—Braves vs. Yankees; May 31—Giants vs. Cardinals.

June 3—Giants vs. Yankees; June 4—Braves vs. Cardinals; June 6—Giants vs. Braves; June 7—Cardinals vs. Yankees.

June 10—Yankees vs. Braves; June 11—Cardinals vs. Giants; June 13—Yankees vs. Giants; June 14—Cardinals vs. Braves.

June 17—Braves vs. Giants; June 18—Yankees vs. Cardinals; June 20—Braves vs. Yankees; June 21—Giants vs. Cardinals.

June 24—Giants vs. Yankees; June 25—Braves vs. Cardinals; June 27—Giants vs. Braves; June 28—Cardinals vs. Yankees.

July 1—Yankees vs. Braves; July 2—Cardinals vs. Giants; July 4—Yankees vs. Giants; July 5—Cardinals vs. Braves.

July 8—Braves vs. Giants; July 9—Yankees vs. Cardinals; July 11—Braves vs. Yankees; July 12—Giants vs. Cardinals.

Billy Reynolds to Be Honored at Amarillo As Teacher of Year

J. W. (Billy) Reynolds was honored by a special award Wednesday night in Amarillo after being selected Teacher of the Year for the Abilene district of the Church of the Nazarene. Word of the selection was received last week by Rev. Bill Hanna, pastor of the local congregation, from Rev. D. M. Duke, chairman of the Abilene District Church School Board.

Selection was made on the basis of general qualifications and success in Sunday School work. Each of over 86 churches on the district submitted nominations for the honor. As such about 900 teachers were considered for the position.

Billy Reynolds has taught the intermediate boys' class for over three years in the church here.



TIGER UNDERGOES OPERATION—Princess, a four-year-old Bengal tiger, undergoes a Caesarian operation at the Dallas zoo. Dr. Jack Brundrett (right) performs the operation while Zoo Curator Elvie Turner (center) and George Bulloch, operating supervisor of the zoo, assist. Another zoo attendant is in the center background. The two kittens were still-born, but Princess came through the operation nicely.

Closing of School Brings Problems of Children into Focus, Cook Declares

End of the current school year is fast approaching in the Hamlin school, Superintendent of Schools C. F. Cook reminded this week, who made the following observations about the system:

Time has rushed by and we have so many things to do. We trust that the people of this community are pleased with the results of our school program thus far. The administration and teachers have tried to give the students the information that will help them to be better students as well as better citizens.

Closing of each school year is both pleasant and unpleasant. We always have children who are not doing well in their classes. This is caused by many conditions: Some children were not ready for school in the lower grades and due to this fact they were behind from the beginning of their school life. Lack of interest in the home, lack

of interest by the students and, at times, bad teaching are other reasons why children are not doing well. It is necessary that we all work together in order for our children to have the best.

There are always some children who are not passed. When this prevails you will know that the best interest of your child has been taken into consideration. We are interested in our children because that is why we have schools.

The teachers and principals of your child will be happy to discuss your problems. Please call on them. The superintendent of schools will also be happy for you to visit his office on any school problems. School problems are important to everyone.

I would like to insist that your child attend every day from now until school closes, because our average daily attendance needs improving.

Church of Nazarene People at Convention

Several members from the local Church of the Nazarene are attending the forty-eighth annual district assembly, which is convening in Amarillo this week.

Special activities include: Youth convention on Monday, missionary convention on Tuesday, church schools' rally on Wednesday, and the assembly proper on Thursday and Friday. Dr. S. Young, general superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene, will preside during the assembly.

Those attending either all or part of the week's activities from Hamlin are Mrs. A. M. Gray, Mrs. Ina Parker, Ewing Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reynolds and Rev. and Mrs. Bill Hanna.

Seldom do man's actions tally with his good intentions.

Senator Yarborough To Speak at Meeting Of Texas Democrats

Senator Ralph W. Yarborough, sworn in Monday as the new senator from Texas, will be the main speaker at the Democrats of Texas meeting to be held in Austin, Saturday, May 18, at the Stephen F. Austin Hotel.

Democrats from the 5,000 precincts in Texas will meet that day to lay the foundation for a new grassroots organization to work for the principles and ideals of the Democratic party. An internal committee was elected last December to make the necessary plans for setting up the meeting. Mrs. R. D. Randolph, national committeewoman from Texas, was elected chairman.

Several delegates from Jones County precincts are expected to attend the session.

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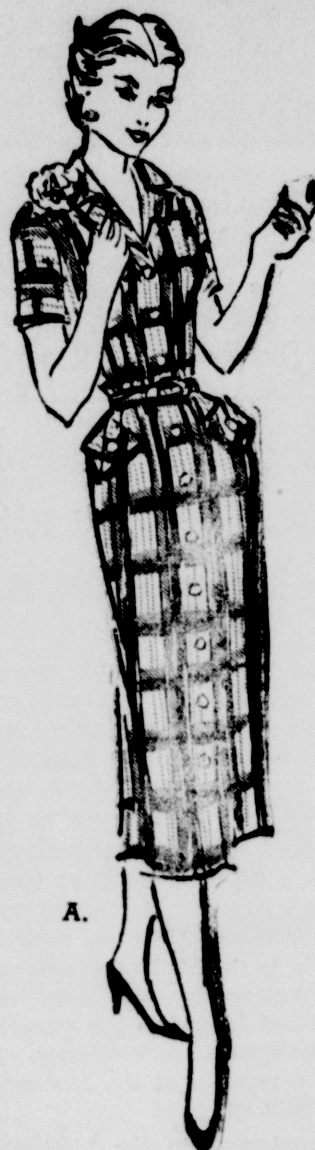
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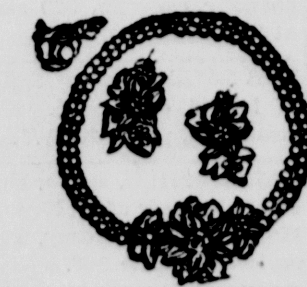
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B. O. BELL already is telling his friends about the fishing—plain and fancy—he has been doing.

He has tried Fort Phantom Lake, Possum Kingdom, the new Lake Leon near Ranger, Paint Creek Lake and others, declaring each time he had brought in some nice strings.

Funny thing is that we thought we were a friend of his—and he hasn't even so much as brought us a slab of a fish! We shouldn't be giving him this free publicity by rights.

B. O. claimed that while fishing from the dam the other day at Paint Creek, he was trolling along the bottom. He hooked what he thought was a log when his line snagged something on the bottom. When he tried to dislodge the bait the log suddenly came alive, zipped to the top of the water and spit the bait back to him. Bell said the fish were so lazy they wouldn't pull—just took the bait when it came near them and expected the fisherman to jerk the bait off in their mouths.

A HAMLIN YOUNGSTER, being scolded for his poor grades on his report card, had this observation to make:

"Dad, what do you think is the trouble with me—heredity or environment?"

THE QUESTION of whether to go to college or not is bothering a lot of young people in these parts at this time of year as high school graduation time is upon them.

One Hamlin young man recently reported to the dean of an Abilene college to talk about his entry into the school. He told the dean at length:

"According to mother going to college is to fit me for the presidency; by Uncle Jim's version it's to sow wild oats; my sister says it's to get a chum for her to marry; and dad said, 'Go to college, son and bankrupt the family.' Are my reasons acceptable, dean?"

CECIL FOX, game warden from Spur, president of the famous Spur Rattlesnake Rodeo Association, was a guest speaker at the Tuesday noon luncheon of Hamlin Lions Club. He brought the members and guests up-to-date on rattlesnakes.

Although interesting, his talk didn't seem to sell many of the Lions on rattlesnake hunting, eating or venom "milk."

Fox had a wire cage full of assorted rattlesnakes which he and others had caught near Spur. He gave some demonstration on the handling of the serpents—and had plenty of room to demonstrate as he began pulling the snakes out of their box. The rattlers had kept up almost a constant din of rattling during the luncheon.

"The male and female are easily discernable after a little practice," Fox declared; then proceeded to show the difference. He went on to say that the snakes mate early in the spring and bear their young—usually from 15 to 18—during August. A rattlesnake drinks like a horse, dipping his mouth into water. A snake has no ears, but "hears" through the vibrations of his tongue.

When a snake strikes his prey, like a rabbit or ground squirrel or mouse, it takes about eight minutes for the animal to die. Fox said he saw one snake eat three ground squirrels at one feeding—then he ran out of squirrels. He told of another snake swallowing a grown jack rabbit. The job took about an hour and a half, and the meal would last the snake about six weeks, he said.

Fox said a sure way to tell a poisonous snake from others was by his extremities. Blunt nose and blunt tail characterize the poisonous snakes.

Contrary to popular opinion, rattlesnakes cannot stand much heat, Fox declared. "Throw a rattlesnake down on hot sand in the summer-time and he will die within five minutes," he said.

A HAMLIN WOMAN was visiting a friend the other day in Anson and was admiring a new baby boy in the home.

"What a handsome baby!" exclaimed the visitor. "Does he resemble your husband?"

"I hope not," replied the wife, "we adopted him."



FLOODED FARM SCENE—The horse in the foreground came up to a farm house near Granbury in search of feed as pastures near the Brazos River have been inundated by the rising waters. Heavy rains have kept the river out of its banks in the lowlands.

Weldon Johnson Elected as Hamlin Foundation President

Swimming Pool Is Free of Debt, Report Declares

Weldon Johnson, railroad agent in Hamlin, was elected new president of the Hamlin Foundation when leaders of the organization met last Monday in special called session in the lobby of the bank for a business session. The foundation was formed two years ago as a unit to build a community swimming pool.

With W. T. Johnson, retiring president, in charge, the financial report favorably revealed the swimming pool free of debt. All contributors and solicitors of this cause during the past two years should feel themselves proud of the success of the project, Johnson pointed out.

Necessary repair to the pool were discussed. Plans are for the completion of the partitions in the ladies' dressing rooms, reprocessing of the filtration system, repair to a hole which has developed in the bottom of the pool, installation of a gate to the chlorination plant, and repainting of the buildings.

Representatives from the Xi Gamma Pi and the Hamlin Forum were accepted for membership on the board of directors, the board being composed of one delegate from each civic organization or club of Hamlin. The board is now made up of 15 directors.

From these directors the following officers were elected for the

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Rowdy Bunch of HHS Seniors Leaves Tuesday for Bus Trip to New Orleans

It was a rousing, rowdy bunch of Hamlin High School seniors who boarded two chartered buses Tuesday afternoon about 2:00 o'clock and set their sights on New Orleans, Louisiana. It was the annual senior class trip that had as passengers 47 members of the 49-student class and six adult chaperones.

Schedule for the group for the five-day outing was about as follows:

Leave Anson at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday, arriving at Forest Park

Children of Grades Given Standard Tests

All children in the Hamlin grade schools have been given standardized tests the past few weeks, reports Superintendent of Schools C. F. Cook.

"I know some parents are interested in the results of these tests," Cook says. "Teachers of our schools will be happy to discuss the results of your child's test with you."



REV. JOE TYSON (above) of Harlingen, outstanding youth evangelist, will direct six special services on family emphasis at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene beginning next Tuesday evening. The public is invited, declares Rev. Bill Hanna, the pastor.

Nazarene Church Slates Spiritual Emphasis Revival

A family spiritual emphasis revival will begin at the Church of the Nazarene next Tuesday evening, according to plans announced by Rev. Bill Hanna, pastor. The meeting will consist of six services, with Rev. Joe Tyson of Harlingen as special speaker.

First service will be held in the Primary School cafeteria at 7:00 p. m. Tuesday. This meeting will consist of a family fellowship dinner, after which Bro. Tyson will bring the message. The following services will be conducted in the church itself. The local choir and a children's choir will provide special music for the campaign.

Rev. Tyson designed and built his challenging and unusual program originally for youngsters, but it now attracts all ages. The theme for the revival is "Christ for Our Family."

Emphasis is being sponsored by the Sunday School of the church of which M. S. Johnson is superintendent, who extends an invitation for all to attend.

Wayne Gray and Patricia Martin have been appointed captains of two teams which will compete for attendance honors during the meeting.

Fisher-Jones County Singers Meet Sunday

Singers and song lovers of the Hamlin section are expected to attend in good numbers the regular monthly Jones and Fisher County singing Sunday afternoon at the Foursquare Gospel Church in Hamlin, located at the corner of Southwest Avenue D and First Street.

Singing will get underway at 2:00 o'clock, to which the public is invited.



SCORES OF LEGIONNAIRES and Auxiliary members of West Texas are expected to attend the Fifth Division convention of the American Legion Saturday and Sunday at Sweetwater, including several from the Hamlin area. Department Commander Joe L. Matthews of Fort Worth (left) will be a guest speaker. Vice Commander Hilton C. Lambert (right) of Snyder will preside over business sessions.

FFA Dairy Team Wins In Contests at State

Ginger Cheshier Wins Shorthand Honors for State

Ginger Means Cheshier, Hamlin High School senior, won the Class A conference shorthand contest at the state Interscholastic League meet held Saturday at Austin.

Ginger and Elizabeth Norton placed first and second in the district meet at Haskell, and at the regional meet at Brownwood, to qualify for the state meet.

At the state meet the contest was five minutes of dictation at 100 words a minute with an hour to transcribe their notes. Ginger had a 99 per cent accuracy to win. Elizabeth placed fourth in the state with a 97.8 per cent accuracy.

Ginger won an individual medal and a plaque for the Hamlin High School and, according to a brief research, this is the first state winner for HHS, according to Dora Mitchell, commercial instructor at the school.

Ginger and Elizabeth were accompanied to Austin by Miss Mitchell and Judy Harden, ready writer, contesant, and Sara Fomby, extemporaneous speaker. The latter two did not place in the state events.

Choir of Junior High Gets Second Rating

Hamlin Junior High School Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Nash Miers, won a second rating in concert singing at Anson last Saturday. Both girls' ensembles also received second ratings.

Nina Jean, Dora Palmer, Melinda Martin and Janice Richardson were awarded first ratings for their vocal solos. Janice Richardson also received a first rating in twirling.

VISIT IN LONGVIEW.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fowler and son and Mrs. P. A. Fowler visited in Longview last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Fowler Jr. and baby.

Organization of Little League Teams Completed with Naming of Players

Organization has been completed of the four teams in the Hamlin Little League, it is reported this week by George C. Campbell, president.

Practice sessions will be conducted Saturday night at the Little League diamond in West Hamlin, and actual league play is scheduled to get underway next Monday night. A complete schedule of games is carried in another article in today's Herald.

The four teams, with their members and managers, are listed as follows:

Braves—Dick McClung, Garland Preston and L. W. Shivers, managers; Gary Woolf, bat boy; Larry Butler, Max Cowan, Spec Cox, Larry Grimm, Buddy Mc-

Clung, Dan Newberry, Van Newberry, Kenny Preston, George Smith, Mike Shivers, James Webb, Anthony Woolf and Jimmy Woolf, players.

Giants—Othell Sipe and George Batchelor, managers; Lloyd Neal Branscum, Danny Niedeecken, Pat Batchelor, Larry Dale Stevens, Raymond Renfro, Ronald D. Sipe, Kenneth Scott, Gary Ted Jay, George Stovall, Bucky Franklin, Johnny Overman, Larry Don Perry, Stanley Smith and Charles Prewitt.

Yankees—Prentice Holland and Cecil Brown, managers; Randy Brown, Jimmy Haight, Marvin Kirkland, William Stephens, Joe Yoeham, Merlyn Holland, Nick Moroe, Cleon Warner, Jeff Willis, Dwayne Bounds, Larry Cronk, Lanny Foster, Ronnie Lorenz and Danny Maberry, players; John Orville Holland, bat boy.

Cardinals—Lewis Fincannon, Bernie Cumble and Dr. M. L. Smith, managers; Sperland Stone, Eugene Franklin, Barry Moore, Tommy Shelburne, Andy French, Mark Smith, Jaylon Fincannon, Ronny Teichelman, Joe Hayes, Jimmy Inzer, Allen Cumble, Thomas Ferguson and Charles Siburt, players.



A SPECIAL TRAVELING EXHIBIT prepared by the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, housed in a walk-through type bus, will be open for viewing by Hamlin area people next Tuesday between 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. when it will be spotted just south of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank. The exhibit is free, says L. E. Prewitt, chairman of the community services committee of the Hamlin Rotary Club, which is sponsoring the informative exhibit.

Atomic Energy Unit To Be Here Tuesday

Newest traveling exhibit of the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission will be shown in Hamlin Tuesday, May 14, under sponsorship of the Hamlin Rotary Club, according to announcement by L. E. Prewitt, chairman of the community service committee of the club.

The exhibit will be located just south of the F. & M. National Bank from 10:00 a. m. till 4:00 p. m. It is shown in Hamlin as a part of a state-wide showing in Texas, Prewitt said.

The exhibit is a self-contained, walk-through mobile unit housed in a modern bus type vehicle. Entitled "Atoms for Peace," it is the latest in a series of traveling atomic energy exhibits prepared by the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission as part of its many programs to bring the latest information on atomic energy to the general public in a concise, easy-to-understand form.

The exhibit is one of four "Atoms for Peace" mobile units now touring the country under the sponsorship of the National University Extension Association and the National Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Visitors to the exhibit hall, in a relatively short period of time, obtain a comprehensive picture of the many ways in which the peaceful atom is playing a more and more important role in our everyday life. A series of panels, several of them operated by the spectator himself, explain research and development in the atomic energy field, ranging from the mining and refining of radio-active ores to the construction of nuclear reactors designed to provide electric power.

In addition, the visitors will learn some of the many uses of radioisotopes—the so-called "tracer atoms"—in medicine, agriculture and industry. The exhibit also contains actual samples of radio-active ore, simulated fuel elements, reactor control rods, radiation detection devices and other materials.

There is no admission charge, points out Prewitt. Every resident of the Hamlin area is invited to visit the exhibit for an informative glimpse of the peaceful atom.

Hamlin Junior High School Band, under the direction of Mac Fullerton, won a first rating in sight reading and a second rating in concert playing at the area elementary music meet held last Saturday at Anson.

Larry Grimm received a first rating for his solo number on the trombone. Ray Johnson Jr. received a first rating for his saxophone work. Glenda Lorenz also was given a first rating for her solo number on the clarinet.

Bands competing were from Anson, Albany, Stamford, Haskell, Sweetwater and Hamlin. Albany and Sweetwater were the only sweepstakes winners, getting first ratings in both concert and sight-reading.

VISIT FROM BAYLOR.

Faith Simpson, senior at Baylor University at Waco, was home for the week-end for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Simpson, and Carol Jo. She has as her guests for the visiting Sue Patrick and Ruth Walker, both of Mart, who also are seniors at Baylor University.

Joe Murff Named Second High Man In State Scoring

Dairy cattle judging team of the Hamlin chapter of Future Farmers of America placed third in the state FFA judging contests staged Saturday at Texas A. & M. College. Gene Murff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Murff, was the second high scoring individual in the entire contests.

Other two members of the dairy judging crew were Joe Deel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deel, and Boyce Blankinship, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Blankinship. Blankinship, local teacher of vocational agriculture in the high school, coached the team.

Gene Murff received a gold medal as second high individual, and the team received a beautiful engraved FFA plaque to add to the chapter's winnings of the year, which are expected to total more than 15 banners.

The poultry judging team from Hamlin, which qualified to attend the state contests last Saturday in Lubbock, failed to place in the high 10 teams of the state contests. Team members were Jim Stinnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stinnett; Roy Houghton, son of Eugene Houghton; and Kenneth Lawlis, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawlis. Harold Eades coached the poultry team.

While on the campus of Texas A. & M. College the two teams were taken on a tour of the campus and the college farm facilities by Blankinship and Eades, who are ex-Aggies. The boys spent Friday night in dormitory facilities on the campus and visited with students in learning about life on the campus. Blankinship and Eades said the boys really enjoyed their visit on the campus and got a lot of good from such a trip.

The dairy cattle judging team participated in the Heart of Texas Dairy Show and judging contests at Waco last Friday on their way to College Station.

"Talking relieves tension," says a physician. If so, there are some persons who must be as relaxed as used rag dolls.

Who's New This Week

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wilson of Odessa are announcing the arrival on April 8 of a new eight-pound son at the Medical Center Hospital in Odessa, after 16 years of marriage. The father is an engineer with BJ Service, Inc. Mrs. J. S. Dickey of Hamlin is a grandmother of the new arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crow of Badsden, Alabama, became the parents of a daughter on April 20. The little miss who weighed eight pounds eight ounces at birth, has been named Marie Annette. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crow Sr. of Hamlin are paternal grandparents.

Four new citizens have been recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last report in The Herald. Three girls and one boy they are:

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis arrived April 29 at 3:00 p. m. Weighing six pounds 15 ounces, she has been named Cheryl Renee.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Max Trevino of Hamlin on May 1 at 12:30 a. m. After checking her weight at seven pounds seven ounces, she accepted the name of Maria Victoria.

A girl arrived for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller of Hamlin May 1 at 2:45 a. m. She will answer to Janice Lynn. She tipped the scales at six pounds nine ounces.

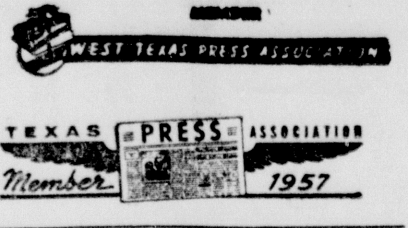
A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon R. Spivey of Hamlin on May 1 at 10:55 p. m. After having his weight checked at eight pounds three ounces, he was labeled Jerry Paul.

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METHODS OF CUTTING FEDERAL BUDGET

Most of us here in this far-away Hamlin community give little thought to what is going on up at Washington. But those goings-on should definitely be part of our concern. We are the government actually, even though we send our representatives to the capital to handle our affairs.

The proposed \$71,800,000,000 federal budget—largest in our peace-time history—has caused more stir and more concern than any domestic problem in a long time. And that concern is not of a partisan nature. It is shared by men high in the president's official family, and by senators and representatives of both parties.

There are all manner of suggestions as to where and to what extent this budget can be cut. The details of budget cutting constitute a field for the experts. But you don't need to be an expert to understand one thing—that the logical place to make the deepest cuts is in areas where the government is carrying on jobs, at taxpayers' expense, which could and should be done by taxpaying private enterprise.

This simply means that it is time we got the government out of business. And an excellent place to begin would be the non-

taxpaying socialized electric power systems.

Some time ago various prominent men suggested that these systems be sold to private enterprise. That proposal gained wide and enthusiastic response. Unfortunately, little has been heard of it lately. But it is even more valid, even more urgent, now than in the past. Sale of the systems would bring in a huge amount of money. It is felt that some of the systems, incidentally, would bring the government more than they cost, as they were built at a time when the dollar had much greater value.

That would be only the beginning. The systems, for the most part, are both free of taxes and are subsidized by taxes. In paying hands, the subsidies would end—and in addition the systems would become major taxpayers. The importance of this is illustrated by the fact that the average independent utility company now pays about 23 per cent of all its revenues from power sales in taxes.

It would take time to make these sales. Meanwhile, we could further brighten the budget picture by putting the socialized systems on a business basis and demanding that they pay all the costs of operation, as do private concerns—including taxes.

Plain and Simple Facts

There has been a great to-do over recent small increases in the price of crude oil, and in fuel oil and gasoline prices. Much of the debate is of a technical nature, and the layman has no means of deciding who or what is right. But there are certain relevant and important facts that anyone can understand.

Finding oil is a risky business, as many an operator in the Hamlin territory will tell you. The great majority of wildcat wells turn out dry and worthless. Many wells which do produce oil do not produce enough to be very profitable.

Costs connected with finding and developing crude oil supplies have all risen. Wages and material prices have followed an upward trend. Drillers must go deeper into the earth. Where, in 1950, these costs amounted to 40 per cent of the average price of a barrel of crude, they amounted to 60 per cent in 1955 and have reached higher levels since.

There is one way, and one way only, that we can encourage men to take the long risks involved in finding oil. That is to assure them that they will make a reasonable profit if the venture is successful. If men stopped in this search, because they could see no way to make such a profit, it wouldn't be long until we would suffer catastrophic oil shortages.

Finally, the consumer's prime interest is having gas and other oil products available when and where he wants them, and in any quantity wanted. This is a far more important matter than a minor increase in prices.

Like the Emperor's Clothes

"Whence comes all the supposed clamor that the federal government spend more money?" That question is asked by The Wall Street Journal.

The obvious answer, constantly made by many men in government, is that the people are demanding ever-bigger spending and that their wishes must be obeyed. But the Journal points out that, according to official reports, mail received at the White House, the treasury and by congressmen has been heavily weighted with expressions of alarm at the high spending, and with pleas for economy. Businessmen, housewives and farmers are among the letter writers.

So the Journal concludes: "We wonder what would happen if some shrewd politician were to ask, 'Where is all this large public clamor for bigger spending?' We suspect he would find that, like the emperor's clothes, it was never there at all."

Foundation Is Faith

The American way of life is faith in God. Upon this foundation was placed the United States constitution. Its chief purpose was to create a structure of government to protect the individual freedom of citizens, to give the citizenry all power over the government.

Many Americans carelessly accept our government as a "democracy." Actually it is a constitutional republic. Our constitution protects rights of minorities which sheer democracy would permit to be taken away by majority vote. This is an extremely important feature of our constitutional republic.

Editorial of the Week

ALCOHOLISM IS MAJOR PROBLEM

Alcohol is worse than war for even the worst wars must end, but alcohol goes on year after year destroying men, women and children or spoiling their lives and preventing them from becoming good and useful citizens. The drinking of alcoholic beverages today affects every person in our country, either directly or indirectly. Because of the increasing complexity of modern life the problems caused by drinking have become more serious.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science has said that the problem of alcohol has become one of the major perplexities of our civilization. While the use of alcoholic beverages for centuries created health, moral and social problems, the havoc created by drinking is much more serious today because of mechanization, the complexity and the tensions of modern life. In an age of mass production, atomic power, jet planes and accelerating speed, the drinking of alcoholic beverages is dangerous and out of place.

Someone has well said, "There has never been a period in the history of the world when there existed a greater need for each individual to ponder intelligently the mute question—To drink or not to drink?"

It is doubtful if any disease causes more misery, frustration and suffering than alcoholism. The alcoholic is causing the heartbreak of the medical profession because the doctor knows that all too often he will come back in the same beaten condition. The great majority of alcoholics go untreated. While some alcoholics are rehabilitated, most of them continue in their drinking until they die of alcoholism or some related disease.—The Baptist Standard.

Putting a mortgage on your house is no longer considered immoral, but it's rapidly becoming impossible.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper, The Herald.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

From the files of The Hamlin Herald of 20 years ago are taken the following news briefs about Hamlin community people and events, reproduced from the issue of May 7, 1937:

Several men were burned and injured Monday morning about 11:55 o'clock when an 80,000-barrel storage tank filled with oil caught fire from lightning. Superintendent Fred Hulse of the General Crude Oil Company plant, west of Hamlin, says the fire, which could be seen at night for many miles, burned itself out after 27 hours. The loss, fully covered by insurance, is placed at \$175,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hopper returned Wednesday from Morton, where they attended the funeral of a sister of Mrs. Hopper.

Opal Cory entertained members of the Gala Bridge Club at her home Tuesday evening. Attendees included Vencie and Nettie Bowen, Irene and Ruby Thompson, Viva Miltstead, Myrtle Cohorn, Pearl Hudson, Elsie Wiencek and Lennie Greenway.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson and little daughter, Faith, made a trip to San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. Pat Bullock of Coleman was here Sunday to visit her brother, D. W. Stell, and family.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Items of interest in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated May 9, 1947:

Area cattle ranches will be visited by members of the West Texas Hereford Association when they make their annual tour on May 13, 14 and 15.

Sid Meadors and James Bates, Santa Fe engineer and fireman, went away in the West Texas Fish Rodeo Tuesday morning when they landed a 10-pound bass from the Hamlin West Lake. The fish measured 23 inches long and was snaggled on a fly rod with a minnow for bait.

Wheat prospects in the Hamlin territory are looking good following continued good rains in the area, declare raisers who have been contacted by the Herald reporter.

Rev. J. T. Crawford, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, has rejected a call to a much larger church in Houston, he announced to his local congregation Sunday.

Arlene Morgan became the bride of John C. Bryant Wednesday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Amerson. Rev. E. A. Reed of Vernon officiated.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

Among news items carried in The Hamlin Herald of five years ago were the following, condensed from the issue of May 9, 1952:

Jones County Democrats conducted an orderly county convention at Anson Tuesday. Joe Culbertson of Hamlin was one of four delegates named to the state convention.

Curtis M. Dodd has been named manager of the Safeway store at Hamlin, replacing Gene Sanders, who is being transferred to Breckenridge.

Twenty-seven Boy Scouts from Hamlin's Troop 43 attended the district camporee at the Swenson Jog on the Brazos River near Lueders last week-end.

A spring football classic for the Hamlin community is scheduled for next Tuesday night at Pied Piper field when members of this year's graduating class next year's hopefuls. Coach Red Burditt is coaching the present crew while Bob Nunley is coaching the exes.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Considered news a year ago by The Herald were the following items, reproduced in brief from the issue dated May 10, 1956:

All Hamlin delegates to the Jones County Democratic convention were instructed to vote for Lyndon Johnson at the county convention Saturday, but the county delegation was named unopposed. Lee McCaleb of Anson was made county chairman.

Decision to trim the bleachers and make other minor changes in plans for the \$160,000 gymnasium was reached this week in order to bring the cost down on the project which last week brought a low bid of \$25,000 more than anticipated cost.

Hamlin High School's FFA dairy judging team won high honors at area contests Saturday at Texas Technological College, and will go to state contests this week. On the team are Davey Weaver, Gene Steele and Clifford Green.

Flooded Pastures Cause Expansion of Cattle Receipts as Prices Drop Some

Expansion of the cattle receipts was general over the country Monday, and at Fort Worth a part of the increase was credited to movement of cattle and calves out of low-lying pastures by the high water, declares Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for The Herald, in his weekly release. His release continues: In some cases the cattle were reported moved off pastures which are now at the bottom of some of the larger lakes.

Other shippers reported they were starting shipping a bit earlier than usual because of their reluctance to wait until the annual summer break in cattle prices hits the grass fat variety of yearlings and older cattle. "The high prices on grass cattle cannot be expected to hold once hot weather comes," was the way one East Texas cowman put it. "A sharp price break would more than offset any gains we could put on."

Slaughter cattle and calves opened in the face of sharply lower bids at Fort Worth Monday, but reliable stocker demand and some independent packer support offset the worst of the low bids. Prices on slaughter cattle and calves ranged from steady to 25 to 50 cents lower. Stocker classes were firm.

Comparative prices: Good and choice fat yearlings and heifers brought \$19 to \$23; few mature steers arrived. Common and medium yearlings and heifers cashed at \$12 to \$18; fat cows, \$12.50 to \$15, some heiferish kinds to \$16. Canners and cutters drew \$8.50 to \$12.50. Bulls were reported from \$11 to \$15.75.

Good and choice fat calves sold from \$19 to \$22.50, a few fancy kinds, \$23 and \$23.50; cull to medium slaughter calves, \$10 to \$17; stocker calves, \$23 down, and stocker steer yearlings, \$21.50 down.

Upwards of 12,000 sheep and lambs arrived at Fort Worth Monday, one of the largest runs of the spring. Trade was active from the start and prices were fully steady. Once again packers were taking virtually all of the offering, as slaughter prices were well above feeder limits on most kinds.

Good and choice spring lambs drew \$22 to \$23.50, and cull, common and medium spring lambs sold from \$15 to \$21. Good and choice shorn old crop lambs cashed at \$18 to \$21.50, with lambs with No. 1 pelts at \$21.50. No. 2 pelts sold from \$21 down, and

No. 3 pelts sold from \$20.50 down. Cull to medium shorn lambs cashed at \$12 to \$17.

Aged slaughter ewes cashed at \$5 to \$7, and old bucks sold from \$5 to \$5.50. Two-year-olds sold from \$16 down. Aged wethers drew \$12 down.

Choice butcher hogs topped at \$18.50 to \$18.75 at Fort Worth Monday, or steady to 25 cents above the previous close. Medium grade hogs sold from \$15 to \$18. Sows cashed at \$15 to \$16.50.

Judges and supervisory committees for the stocker-feeder special at Fort Worth Livestock Market were announced Monday by the Texas Hereford Association and the Texas Angus Association. The sale will be held Friday, May 10, and will be open to all breeds, but the associations will judge entries of their own breeds.

Secretary Henry Eldred reported Herman Carr of Weatherford and Jeff Slocum of Cresson will judge the white-face entries, and Secretary Glen Tole said the blacks would be judged by Joe Lemley of San Angelo and Les Ljungdahl, manager of the Esser Ranches, who lives in San Antonio.

President R. J. Roeder of Yorktown announced the Hereford stocker-feeder special committee to serve the rest of the season would be Kirk Edwards of Henrietta, Elton Dudley of Comanche, Herman Carr of Weatherford, Fred Slocum of Cresson, D. Burns of Guthrie, Watt Matthews of Albany, Clyde Wells of Granbury and D. G. Talbot of Fort Worth.

President Herman Allen of Menard announced the Angus stocker-feeder special committee would be Stewart Sewell of Jacksboro and Bill King of Grapevine.

Early entries Monday indicated a sizeable number of stocker cows, heifers and several shipments of pairs of cows and calves would be in the offering. Some of these cattle are pure-breds, and many others are from top commercial herds.

LOOKS FAMILIAR.

A rabid golfer came home to dinner after a game. During the meal his wife said, "Willie tells me he caddied for you this morning." "Here, now!" exclaimed Willie's father, "I thought I'd seen that lad before."

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Baptists of Territory Set Abilene TU Clinic

More than 150 Baptist churches in Northwest Texas, including the churches of Hamlin and territory will send their elementary Training Union workers to Abilene for a one-day workshop on new methods and techniques.

The meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church from 2:30 through 9:30 p. m., and is sponsored by the Training Union Department for the Baptist General Convention of Texas at Dallas and for the Southern Baptist Convention of Nashville, Tennessee. About 350 persons are expected to attend.

VISIT IN OKLAHOMA.

Mrs. M. A. Johnston of Hamlin and Dr. and Mrs. Tom Welch and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. John O. Moore in Oklahoma City Sunday. Misses. West and Moore are daughters of Mrs. Johnston.

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Girls—Cel Albritton, Carolyn Barnett, Sarah Berry, Ruby Campbell, Linda Carlton, Hazel Crew, Joy Crawford, Janis Crowley, Mary Ellison, Annette Fletcher, Judy Harden, Mary Jo Hubbard, Vermelle Johnson, Pauline Mayfield Bond, Georgia McDonnell, Elizabeth Norton, Mittie Ann Ray, Annette Smith, Lavada Teichelman, Charlotte Wallace and Mary Ann Willbanks.

Ginger Means Cheshire did not make the trip because of the serious illness of her grandmother. Adults making the trip were

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ensuing year: Weldon Johnson, president; Bill Harbert, vice president; Mrs. Frankie Wilson, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Lennie Cochran, reporter.

The outgoing president expressed appreciation to the members, directors and officers for their cooperation and support, and the directors commended Johnson for his direction and leadership during the past year.

Pending completion of necessary repairs, plans are to have the pool ready for use around June 1, it was announced.

Principal B. V. Newberry: G. T. Black and Dora D. Mitchell, sponsors; and Mmes. Noel Weaver, A. G. Smith and A. B. Carlton, room mothers.



He's dressed for play in a washable corduroy suit by Tumbler-Togs. Bright checked cotton flannel lines the jacket which has a zip front. The longies have a full elastic waistband and two straight front pockets.

Spur Rattlesnake Rodeo Film Seen At Lions Meeting

A colored film on highlights of the 1956 annual Rattlesnake Rodeo for West Texas peace officers, held each year on the Horace Woods ranch near Spur provided the program at the Lions Club weekly luncheon Tuesday noon at the oil mill guest house.

The film, brought by Horace Woods himself and the president of the Rattlesnake Rodeo Association, Cecil Fox. Fox also is a Texas game warden for the Spur area.

The film, and narration by Woods informed the Lions and guests of the formation of the unit, which annually is held for peace officers of West Texas. A feature of the gathering is a display of marksmanship by the officers with pistols. Qualifying rounds are conducted with contenders shooting at paper targets at 75 feet. Then qualifiers are pitted against each other in contests of shooting at the heads of rattlesnakes thrown into an enclosed sand pit.

The film was novel and entertaining. More than 350 people attended this year's Rattlesnake Rodeo, Woods said, held on April 27 at the Woods ranch.

Fox talked about rattlesnakes, and gave demonstrations with a cage of the serpents he brought along for company. More information about the snakes is carried in the Popvalve column on the front page of today's Herald.

Announcement was made that rehearsals are underway on the Lions Club Minstrel, to be staged next Thursday, May 16, at Hamlin High School auditorium. Tickets are available from Lions. Proceeds from the minstrel will be used for club projects.

Representatives of the Hamlin Lions Club are due to attend the annual District 2-T convention at Brownwood this week-end.

Besides Woods and Fox, other guests at the Tuesday luncheon were Whitmore Haynes of Chicago, Illinois, Buster Lowery of Denton and C. F. Cook.

Sunday School Total Attendance Drops Again Last Sunday

Sunday School attendance at the 13 reporting churches of Hamlin showed a further decline Sunday, dropping to 1,299 from the 1,312 total of the week previous. The total also was less than the year ago figure.

Attendance totals, by churches, for May 5, April 28 and a year ago follow:

Churches—	May 5	Apr. 28	Year Ago
No. Cen. Baptist.....	85	82	80
First Baptist.....	399	512	395
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist 52	27	64	
Mexican Baptist.....	38	40	43
Ch. of Nazarene.....	87	94	98
First Methodist.....	176	188	216
Foursquare Gospel.....	64	57	71
Faith Methodist.....	49	58	28
Sunset Baptist.....	60	42	41
Church of Christ.....	150	140	143
Calvary Baptist.....	61	56	62
United Pentecostal.....	19	17	26
Assembly of God.....	59	59	40
Totals.....	1299	1372	1305

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Bette June Teague Wins Second Place

Bette June Teague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Teague of Hamlin, took second place in the district correct posture contests Saturday night at Abilene. She had won first in the local contest conducted last Monday. The Abilene placing gave her \$15 in cash.

Jean Knight of Winters won first place in the Abilene district contest, sponsored by area chiropractors. She will represent the district at the Texas Chiropractors Association convention next month at El Paso.

STRICTLY BUSINESS

by McFadden



"Er, Dear..."

IN THE FIRING LINE.

Hearing a strange noise in the night, a country minister investigated and found a burglar ransacking the kitchen. He took his shotgun and called down from the stair landing:

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REALLY IN A JAM.

The young son of the house returned home from school in a dither.

"I don't know what to do, Pop," he complained. "The teacher says I have to write more legibly, but if I do she'll find out that I can't spell!"

The secret of success in life is known only to those who have not succeeded.—John Curton Collins

Floyd Lain Dies Last Thursday of Heart Attack

Funeral rites for Floyd Lain, 51-year-old farmer of the Hanna community southeast of Hamlin, and brother of Jim Lain of Hamlin, were conducted Friday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Anson.

Lain died early Thursday morning in Anson General Hospital after suffering a heart attack at his home earlier.

Services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Mabrey of Ackerly, assisted by Rev. W. T. Williams of Anson, pastor of Hanna Baptist Church of which Lain was a member.

Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery at Anson with Lawrence Funeral Home directing arrangements. Pallbearers were nephews of the deceased.

Lain was born January 17, 1906, in Camp County. He was reared in that county and moved to Jones County when he was married to Margaret Scott on August 5, 1939.

Survivors include the wife; three children all of the home, Gerald 16, Ruth 12, and Charlotte 11; four brothers, Jim Lain of Hamlin, Shelton whose address is unknown, Duron of Waco and Bill of Pittsburg; two sisters, Mrs. Jeff Davis of Greenville and Mrs. W. A. Hoffman of Ennis.

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James Rodgers Made Honor Group at Tech

A Hamlin young man, James E. Rodgers, was one of 56 students at Texas Tech College recently elected to the Tech chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, national scholastic honor society.

Young Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rodgers of Hamlin, is a junior accounting major at Tech. He had a grade point average of 2.61, which amounted to almost a straight A.

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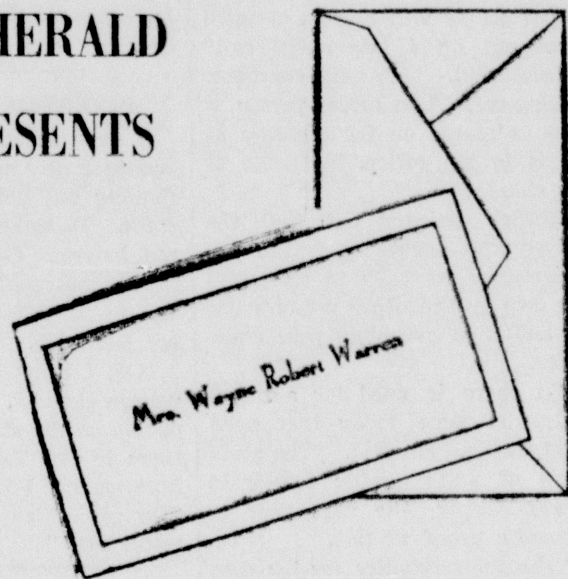
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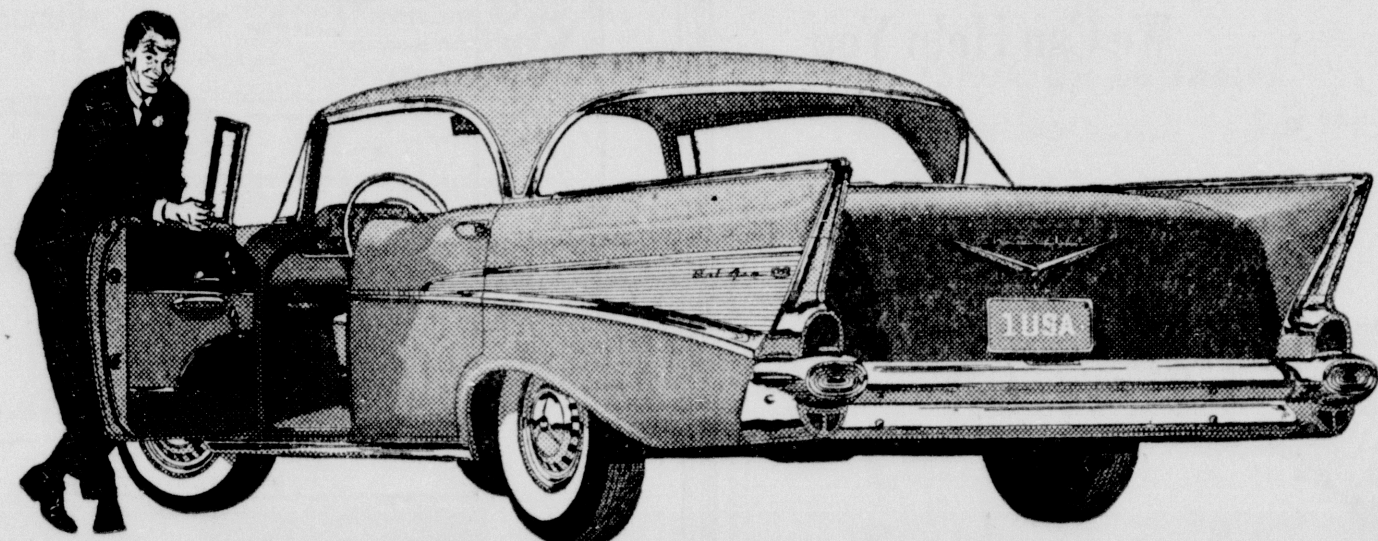
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The Herald's Page for Women



Annette Fletcher, Bride-Elect of Dee Prewit, Honored at Tea Friday

Annette Fletcher, bride-elect of Dee Prewit, was honored at a gift tea Thursday evening from 7:00 until 9:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Art Carmichael.

KNOWS HIS TEACHER.

Junior was listening intently to a lecture given by his high school chemistry teacher on the properties of acids.

"Now," said the teacher, "I am going to drop this silver dollar into this glass of acid. Will it dissolve?"

"No, sir," said Junior somewhat cockily.

"No?" said the demonstrator. "Then perhaps you will explain to the class why it won't dissolve." "Because," came the answer, "anybody knows if it would dissolve you wouldn't drop it in!"

BOOK SHOP NEWS

Surprise! We have in a shipment of pictures—the ones we have been telling you about. They are large, medium and small in size. Lovely scenes, florals and popular subjects.

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We have been mentioning these things for the past few weeks and how they do look.

They are all here now and you want and

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The Book Shop

Mrs. Fayrene Weaver

McCaulley FHA Unit Names New Officers

Officers of the McCaulley High School Future Homemakers of America met April 23 in the home-making cottage to nominate new officers for 1957-58.

Girls nominated have met certain qualifications to hold office in the FHA chapter. These girls were elected by the chapter group the following day: Frances Hill, president; Betsy Ann Maberry, vice president; Charlene Bowen, secretary-treasurer; Mary Current, recreation leader; and Mary Davis, historian and reporter.

Former Resident Is Sorority Girl of Year

Mrs. Carl Andress, president of the Gardena, California, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority chapter and former member of the Hamlin chapter, was chosen the outstanding girl of the year at the Founder's Day banquet recent.

The traditional presentation of the outstanding girl of the year from each chapter highlighted the meeting. The Gardena chapter won awards in achievement and in the scrapbook contest for that district.

Mrs. Andress is the former Eva Louise Fowler, daughter of Mrs. Paul Fowler of Hamlin.

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THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"I hate to quit while I still have money, but my feet are killing me!"

Understanding of Baby's Attitudes Will Help to Solve Discipline Problem

Toward the beginning of the second year of life there comes a change in the attitude of parents toward their baby, declares Dr. Dorothy V. Whipple, AP News-features writer, in a release to The Herald. This is a very important change, but one of which many parents are only dimly aware.

The baby becomes able to do things "on purpose"—real things, such as pulling lamps over, throwing food on the floor, biting, soiling himself. By this time the baby is able to go places—first with lightning-like speed in crawling and soon upright on those wobbly legs. His ability to get about increases the number of things he can do, many of which can drive his mother crazy. Also he is learning to communicate his wishes with words. Soon after he can say "Mama" and a few such words, he learns the all powerful "No." Often it is this is the most important word in his vocabulary.

When the baby is able to do all these things, we begin to expect him to conform to our way of life. We talk about good behavior and bad behavior. Good is what pleases us, bad is that which is troublesome for us. Good and bad are from the adult point of view. They have little or nothing to do with what pleases the child. Now this is where the big change in attitude comes in. When the baby is tiny we think only of what pleases the baby. Mighty few mothers become annoyed with their baby because he soils himself, spits up a mouthful of milk or accidentally bumps over a dish of cereal. We don't expect a baby to be able to help doing these troublesome things. Mothers clean up the mess and hug and love the baby just the same. Love is free, so to speak, to the baby. He can just be himself and it's all right and he is loved.

But later, love begins to have a price. Mother shows her love when her baby is good and she withholds it when he is bad. This is all right if it doesn't go too far. Little children do have to learn to conform. But it is helpful to look the matter squarely in the face and understand what we are doing—try to understand looking up at life from the eyes and heart of the baby himself.

A baby needs to be loved; he needs to feel he is pretty much o. k. with those who important people, Mom and Dad. Also he needs to learn to do some things and not to do others.

When you really think about love having a price it is not hard to figure out how to manage. Make sure that you show your love when things are going well; don't just ignore the baby with a sigh of relief that he is not into something and you can get your work done. Talk to him, sing to him (even from the other room), throw him a toy as you pass, let him know you think he is wonderful.

Try your best to make it impossible for him to do many bad things. He is not old enough to understand the laws of physics. It is fun to pull on the dangling edge of the tablecloth; he doesn't yet know that disaster will follow, so keep him and the tempting cloth

Two McCaulley FHA Girls Go to State Meet

Two McCaulley High School girls of the Future Homemakers of America chapter, Frances Hill and Dorothy Herbst, and their sponsor, Bill Robinson, attended the state FHA meeting in Dallas April 26 and 27. The girls are both sophomores.

Miss Hill went as a voting delegate from the McCaulley chapter. They left Thursday morning and returned Saturday afternoon. They stayed in the Adolphus Hotel while in Dallas.

RIGHT PROPORTIONS.

Will—"The trouble with him is he's temperamental."

Bill—"That's right—two per cent mental and ninety-eight per cent temper."

apart. Prevent as many "bad" acts as you possibly can.

For those you cannot prevent, stop the child and say nad do nothing. This is a kind of love rather than punishment. It is quite enough. Your child wants and needs you to love him and he will learn the difference between behavior that brings your warm enthusiastic approval and behavior that brings cool indifference from you.

As the child gets a wee bit older he comes to understand that Mommy doesn't like certain things and that life is pleasant when Mommy is nice. And he also understands that it is the "bad" things Mommy doesn't like; that it is never Ricki she doesn't like. Mommy loves all of Ricki all the time—it's just some things Ricki does she doesn't like.

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Moral Responsibility of Auto Driver Needs to Be Practiced on Highway

The driver who professes his religion in church, but doesn't practice it in traffic is a highway hypocrite.

This indictment of careless drivers was made this week by J. O. Musick, general manager of the Texas Safety Association, as he discussed the moral responsibility of motorists. Highway morality is emphasized in the spring phase of the back-the-attack on traffic accidents campaign.

"Morality cannot be put on or taken off at will like an optional accessory on a late model car," Musick said. "It's basic character equipment. The moral person is just as moral on the highway as he is in his office, his home or his church."

Musick pointed out that the driver who cheats on traffic law observance or fails to safeguard his own or the other person's life in traffic is revealing poor character.

"If there is need for a moral code anywhere today that need is in traffic," He said. "The spectacle of 2,611 traffic deaths in Texas during the past year is dramatic proof of this."

"The responsibility for his own safety and the safety of all he meets in traffic rests on the driver. This responsibility in-

cludes the obligation to do all in his power to prevent an accident even when danger is occasioned by the wanton carelessness of another," Musick said.

He urged all drivers to be a positive force in the attack on traffic accidents by driving defensively—that is, driving in such a manner as to avoid accidents by anticipating and allowing for hazards created by the unsafe acts of others and by adverse traffic and weather conditions. "In doing so," he said, they will be discharging their responsibility to God and their fellow man.

DIVERTED ATTENTION.

A very short, very fat woman bought a new hat that featured a flaming red flower on a six-inch stalk. It looked exactly like a red beacon. One of her friends finally mustered up enough courage to suggest that the hat was not becoming.

"Oh, I know that," replied the woman cheerily, "but when I meet people on the street I don't want them to say, 'Look at that funny fat woman!' I'd much rather that they gasp, 'Heavens, look at that awful hat!'"

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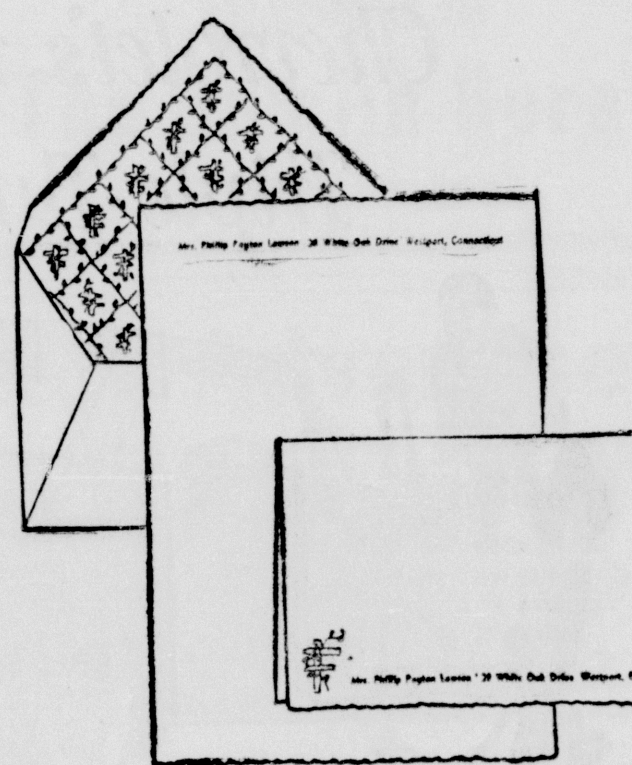
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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford,
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Austin.—Texans will be a long time cleaning up from one of the greatest flood disasters in the state's history.

Nearly 10,000 persons were forced out of their homes and some 25,000 square miles were affected, according to official estimates.

State, national and private agencies are cooperating to help the flood victims. At the request of Governor Price Daniel, President Dwight D. Eisenhower designated the flooded counties as "major disaster areas." It brought an immediate flow of funds, equipment and supplies to aid State Disaster Relief headquarters.

Governor Daniel also asked the Legislature or \$20,000 to replenish the National Guard's fund for emergency work.

As waters receded in most areas, people began to take stock of the future. Though crop damage was estimated as high as \$30,000,000, most farmers took a long range view.

Many missed the corn planting season and will have to switch to sorghum or some other crop. Others have put cattle back on dry feed after seeing the best pasture in years ruined by floods. "But," they say, "at least it's wet."

Water conservationists point to the flood-ridden areas as "Exhibit A" in the case for more dams and lakes. Rampaging rivers could be held in check, they say, saving top soil and water for future use.

It's Governor Lock Now.—Senator Ottis Lock of Lufkin became governor for a day and received all the honors customarily paid on such occasions.

May 3 long will be remembered by the 46-year-old lawyer who has served 18 years as a state official.

He issued a proclamation designating the day as Texas Inter-scholastic League Day; addressed the high school journalists assembled in Austin; served coffee and cake in the reception room of the governor's office; and attended a banquet given in his honor by his many Lufkin friends.

As president pro tem of the Senate, Lock became governor for a day when Governor Daniel and Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey left the state on official business.

Long Talk.—Longest filibuster in Texas Senate history brought only a "moral victory" for opponents of school segregation bills. Senators Abraham Kazen Jr. and Henry Gonzalez teamed up to

talk 36 hours and two minutes against a bill to allow school boards to assign pupils to certain schools. When they finally quit, their colleagues passed the measure and sent it back to the House for concurrence on a minor amendment.

Proponents agreed to delay for a few days taking up the other segregation bills.

Previous filibuster record was 31 hours and 25 minutes set in 1949 by opponents of a medical bill.

Kazen and Gonzalez were aided by prolonged questions from other anti-segregation minded senators. Those who opposed the bill included Senators R. A. Weinert, Bruce R. Reagan, Hubert Hudson, Carlos Ashley, Charles Herring and Frank Owen III.

ICT Report.—Senate ICT committee's voluminous report had no kind words for those who had been connected with the \$4,000,000 failure.

It said the company was founded contrary to law and operated in a negligent, haphazard and downright fraudulent manner. It sharply criticized Ben Jack Cage one-time ICT manager, and labor leaders who had helped Cage sell union people on investing in ICT. Unions officials, it said, had been compromised by "lavish entertainment" or the payment of money. Their attitude was called "negligent or at least complacent."

Committee made 20 recommendations for tightening laws to prevent future ICTs. One would make insurance company officials criminally liable for false statements. Another would place insurance securities under supervision of a securities commission.

Naturopaths Set Back.—Naturopaths are in a worse quandary than ever now that the State Supreme Court has ruled their licenses to practice are no good.

This upheld a lower court ruling that the 1949 licensing law was unconstitutional.

Texas naturopaths will be in court again next week when Ex-Representative James E. Cox of Conroe comes to trial. Cox is charged with consenting to accept a bribe from a TNA member in return for killing a bill outlawing naturopathy.

Insurance Reorganization.—Governor Daniel is riding a crest of triumph after House passage of his plan to reorganize the Texas Insurance Commission. After weeks of wrangling and nip-and-tuck committee votes, final approval was by a lopsided 109 to 25 vote.

House version calls for a three-man, full-time board all to be appointed by the governor. Senate already has passed a similar bill calling for a part-time board.

Both versions would remove from office John Osorio, the present commission chairman, and Member Mark Wentz. Opposition by their friends in the Legislature was one of the main obstacles to reorganization passage. Joe P. Gibbs, the third member of the commission, was appointed recently to serve temporarily.

Thumbs Down.—In the push to clear the Legislative calendars, a lot of bills are falling by the wayside. Measures which already have hit the dust include those to: Abolish the property tax on automobiles and substitute higher registration fees; provide for redi-

KERRY DRAKE



tricting of county precincts; require county judges to be lawyers; allow cities on local option to elect officials for four years instead of two; raise the minimum age for senators from 26 to 30 years and the minimum for representatives from 21 to 25 years; require persons over 60 years of age to obtain an annual exemption certificate to vote; prohibit cities from annexing property across county lines; and allow cities to issue bonds to build municipal parking lots.

Approved.—Measures which apparently have made the grade: Allow use of tax money to advertise the state of Texas; levy penalties for tossing litter on public

roads, parks and beaches; make it unlawful to carry a switchblade knife; permit skipping of jury trials in lunacy cases; create a new Texas Securities Commission to handle regulation now divided between the Texas Insurance Commission and the secretary of state's office; create a system of full-time paid supervisors for paroled convicts; and define rights of REA co-ops to operate in areas annexed by cities.

Short Snorts.—First six officials to file statements of their personal business interests under the new code of ethics bill were Representatives Joe Pool, Tom Joseph, Joe N. Chapman, Herman Puckett Jr., Rufus U. Kilpatrick

and State Auditor C. H. Cavness. New U. S. Senator Ralph Yarborough is slated as the main speaker at a state convention of the Democrats of Texas May 18 in Austin. Identified with the liberal-loyalist block, the DOT has been sharply criticized by the Democrat state executive committee.

CANDID COMMENT.—A woman never gets out of breath running up a charge account.—The Wall Street Journal.

SUBJECT IS IMPORTANT.—It's difficult to get the average person to listen to you these days—unless, of course, you talk to him about himself.

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Decline

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending April 27, 1957, were 20,826 compared with 25,319 for the same week in 1956, revealing a decline from the year ago figure. Cars received from connections totaled 11,868 compared with 12,317 for the same week in 1956.

Total cars moved were 32,694 compared with 37,636 for the same week in 1956. Santa Fe handled a total of 33,761 cars in the preceding week this year.

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GETTING ALONG.
A clerk, checking over an applicant's papers, was amazed to note the figures 127 and 123 in the spaces reserved for "Age of father, if living" and "Age of mother, if living."
"Surely your parents aren't that old?" the surprised clerk questioned.
"Nope," was the answer, "but they would be, if living."

C.O.D.—COST ON DAD.
The notion that when children grow up and get married parents can relax was blasted again the other day when a Los Angeles woman received a phone call—collect—from her daughter in Chicago asking for a recipe. The mother gave it to her, then asked, "Why don't you buy a cook book?"
"Don't be silly," said the daughter. "That costs \$3."

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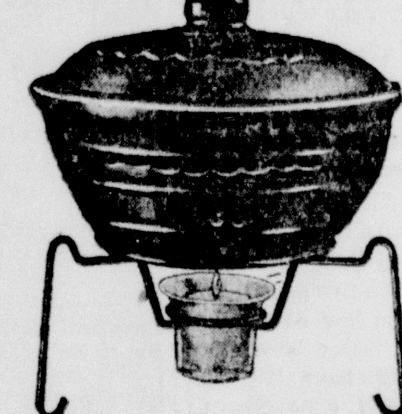
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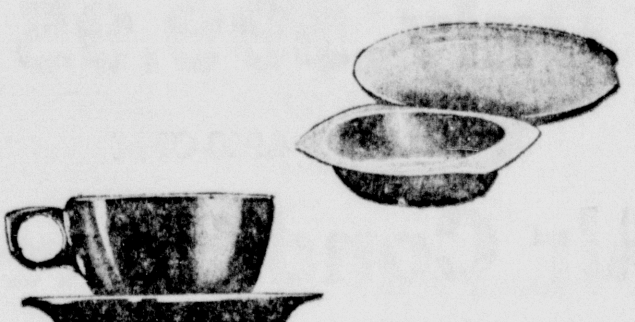
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Long Grain Rice	Uncle Ben's	28-Oz. Box	41¢
Cashew Nuts	Nut Shell Salted	14-Oz. Can	98¢
Gladiola Flour	For Better Baking	5-Lb. Bag	53¢

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Hawaiian Punch	Refreshing Drink	Pl. Bottle	49¢
Cocoanut Gems	Rocky Candy	8-Oz. Pkg.	29¢
Grade A Eggs	Breakfast Grade Large	Dz.	49¢
Margarine	Coldbrook Spreads Easily	1-Lb. Pkg.	23¢

Week-end Buys!

Sliced Bread	Mrs. Wright's Reg. White	24-Oz. Loaf	22¢
Lucerne Milk	Homogenized	1/2-Gal. Can	39¢
Chocolate Milk	Lucerne	8-Oz. Can	21¢
Hydrox Cookies	Sensation	12-Oz. Can	37¢

Week-End Special Buys!

Hi-C Orange Drink	Refreshing	4 46-Oz. Cans	99¢
Del Monte Tomato Juice		4 46-Oz. Cans	99¢
Highway Corn	Whole Kernel Golden	5 12-Oz. Cans	57¢
Hormel Vienna Sausage		2 4-Oz. Cans	33¢
Sofskin Hand Cream	For Lovely Hands, Tax Inc.	2 1/2-Oz. Jar	39¢
Welch Grape Jelly	or Grapelade	2 10-Oz. Jars	39¢

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Kitchen Craft Flour	Better Baking	5-Lb. Bag	39¢
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White Corn Meal	Kitchen Craft	10-Lb. Bag	63¢
Pancake Flour	Kitchen Craft	4-Lb. Box	17¢

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Sleepy Hollow Syrup	Pancake Treat	12-Oz. Bottle	29¢
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Calf Sirloin Steak	U.S. Gov't Graded	Lb.	75¢
Calf T-Bone Steak	U.S. Gov't Graded	Lb.	79¢
Calf Round or Swiss	U.S. Gov't Graded	Lb.	79¢
Sunkist Lemonade	Concentrate	4-Oz. Can	18¢
Beenie Weenies	Van Camp's	12-Oz. Can	27¢
Bluhill Dressing	Cesar, Roquefort	8-Oz. Bottle	54¢
Indian Grill Dressing	Bluhill	8-Oz. Bottle	39¢
Wingate Sausage	Reg. or Hot	2-Lb. Ro.	69¢
Fresh Pork Spareribs		Lb.	49¢
Cured Ham	Shank End Cut	Lb.	39¢
Chocolate Pecan Cookies	ppr	11-Oz. Box	49¢
Salted Peanuts	Circles Blanched Virginia	1/2-Gal. Can	39¢
Salted Cashew Nuts	Circles Whole	1/2-Gal. Can	53¢
Planters Cocktail Peanuts		8-Oz. Can	39¢

Bel-air Frozen Foods

Chopped Spinach	or Leaf or Turnip Greens	3 12-Oz. Pkgs.	49¢
Cauliflower	or Blackeye Peas	2 10-Oz. Pkgs.	45¢
Frozen Waffles	Tasty	3 8-Oz. Pkgs.	47¢

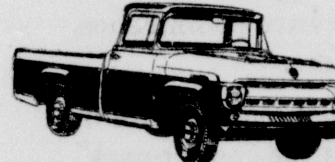
Bargain Buys!

Yellow Corn Meal	Kitchen Craft	10-Lb. Bag	59¢
Taste Tells Catsup	Parky Flavour	2 14-Oz. Bottles	29¢
Bel-air Strawberries	Frozen	5 10-Oz. Pkgs.	\$1.00
Salad Dressing	Nu Made or Duchess	32-Oz. Jar	45¢

Safeway's Farm-Fresh Produce!

Fresh Corn on Cob	Tender	4 Ears	29¢
Russet Potatoes	Economy	10-Lb. Bag	39¢
Fresh Okra	Try It, French Fry	Lb.	25¢
Crisp Lettuce	Cresting Fresh	Lb.	15¢
Babo Cleanser	Ideal for Woodwork	21-Oz. Can	21¢
Clorox Liquid Bleach		8-Oz. Bel.	19¢
Wesson Oil	Liquid Shortening	8-Oz. Can	65¢
Crisco Shortening	New Lightener	3-Lb. Can	97¢
Fluffo Shortening	So Digestible	3-Lb. Can	97¢
All Detergent	For a Whiter Wash	10-Lb. Box	\$2.39
Dial Soap	Checks Perspiration	2 Bars	25¢
Dial Soap	For Lovely Skin	2 Bars	35¢
Red Heart Dog Food	Assorted	2 1/2-Gal. Cans	31¢
Lipton Chicken Noodle	Soup Mix	3 2 1/2-Oz. Pkgs.	42¢
Lipton Tomato Vegetable	Soup Mix	3 2 1/2-Oz. Pkgs.	42¢
Lipton Onion Soup	Soup Mix	1 1/2-Gal. Pkg.	17¢
Blackeye Peas	Fresh Flavored	2 Lb.	25¢
Green Onions	Pick of the Crop	Bundle	5¢
Instant Pream	Powdered Cream	4-Oz. Jar	31¢
Parsons Sudsy Ammonia		14-Oz. Bottle	14¢
Du Pont Sponges	Four Colors Cellulose No. 80	Each	23¢
Handy Budget Brooms	Durable	Each	75¢
Strong Rope Mop	Durable	14-Oz. 59¢	
Kitchen Charm Wax Paper		100-Ft. Roll	22¢
Hershey Cocoa	For Tasty Pies	1-Lb. Box	37¢
Hershey Cocoa	Makes Delicious Cakes	1-Lb. Box	69¢
Starkist Tuna	Chunk Style	No. 1/2 Can	32¢
Nes-Cafe Instant Coffee		4-Oz. Jar	\$1.33¢
Shady Lane Butter		1-Lb. Pkg.	65¢
Texcel Cellophane Tape		Roll	15¢

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Legionnaires and Auxiliary of Area Meet Week-End

Legionnaires and auxiliary members from the 16th, 17, 18th, 19th and 21st Congressional Districts, comprising the Fifth Division of the American Legion will assemble at Sweetwater Saturday and Sunday, May 11 and 12, for their annual spring convention. Among attendants will be vets of the Hamlin area.

Registration will begin at 9:00 a. m. Saturday at the Bluebonnet Hotel and at the Legion home. There will be a parade, beginning at 2:00 p. m., which will be followed by a stag party from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. The annual convention dance will be held in the National Guard armory from 9:00 p. m. to 1:00 a. m.

Joint session of the American Legion and Auxiliary will start Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m. Speaker of the House Waggoner Carr will deliver the principal address. Department Commander Joe L. Matthews of Fort Worth will also be a guest speaker. The sessions will be presided over by Vice Commander Hilton C. Lambert of Snyder.

Some people don't have much to say, but you have to listen a long time to find it out.

Grubs in Area Lawns Can Be Controlled With Various Poisons

Considerable damage to lawns in the Hamlin area has been reported the last two years, and lawn owners are urged to safeguard their grass this year with counter measures.

Much of the damage in the area to lawns is done by the white grub. In the larval stage it is white with a brown head and has six prominent legs, each about one-half to one inch long. The adult is the common June bug or May beetle. They feed on the roots and underground portions of stems of grasses and other plants.

This pest may be controlled by using a five per cent granular dieldrin. Broadcast the chemical on the lawn and water the lawn by soaking the chemical into the root area of the grass. Chlordane may also be used by spraying or dusting and also watering.

LEAVE IT TO COOK.

The young housewife was giving an even younger housewife some cooking instructions. "Then add five gluks of custard," she concluded.

"Five what?" she was asked. "Gluks."

"What's a gluk?"

"Oh, for heaven's sake!" said the young housewife. "Tip the jug until it says 'gluk' and do that four times more."



AFTER FILIBUSTER MARATHON—State Senators Henry B. Gonzales of San Antonio (left) and Abraham Kazen Jr. of Austin pose in Austin after ending their 36-hour filibuster that set a record for the Texas Legislature. The two senators combined forces to filibuster against a House passed segregation bill. Kazen started the filibuster and talked for 15 hours while Gonzales went 21 hours. The bill was passed despite the filibuster.

Estimated 85 Men From County Are Registered in 1957

An estimated 85 Jones County young men registered with their draft board at Anson during the first quarter of 1957. A total of 17,207 young Texans registered with state draft boards during the three-month period, Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, state selective service director, said Thursday.

Federal law requires that all males register on their eighteenth birthday, or within five days thereafter. Since the law was enacted in 1948, all males born since August 30, 1922, have had and now have a legal obligation to register, except those not yet 18.

Colonel Schwartz, the state draft director, emphasized that young men who join the National Guard or other reserves of the armed forces must register when they are 18. Membership in reserve organizations does not relieve them of obligation to register.

During the first quarter of 1957 Texas draft boards sent a total of 2,510 males into the armed forces, and during the same period a total of 7,654 Texans went into uniform by enlistment, making a total of 10,164 entries during the three-month period.

During the same time a total of 9,200 Texans were separated from all the services.

During January, February and March state selective service sent



ROCK HOUND—Cute Betty Stein, one of San Antonio's poster girls, has been chosen "Miss Precious" by the Texas Federation of Mineral Societies to reign during their National Gem and Mineral Show to be held in San Antonio. A freshman coed at San Antonio College, Betty will be official hostess for the show with its expected attendance of 12,000 "Rock Hounds."

a total of 8,171 men to the armed forces examining stations for the combined pre-induction physical and mental examination.

Of this number a total of 5,047 passed the tests, and the remaining 3,124 were rejected, a rejection rate of 38 men out of every 100 examined.

Rev. Egger Attending Conference Meetings

In Lubbock Tuesday to attend two meetings of officials of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference was Rev. Darris L. Egger, pastor of his First Methodist Church.

He attended a meeting of the board of missions of which he is conference secretary; and the administrative council. He was accompanied to Lubbock by Rev. W. A. Appling, pastor of St. John Methodist Church in Stamford.

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HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. R. H. Cooper, surgery, April 29; Peter Comacho, medical, April 29; Mrs. C. E. Gregory, medical, April 29; Mrs. Jack Townley, medical, April 29; Morris Jean, medical, April 29; Mrs. Clyde Lewis, ob., April 29; Johnny Waldrop, surgery, April 30; Mrs. R. T. Whitehead of Blackwell, surgery, May 2; Mrs. V. R. Spivey, ob., May 1; W. F. Brannon of Peacock, medical, May 1; Mrs. Joe Rivers, medical, May 1; James Ray of Aspermont, medical, May 1; Mrs. W. L. Burk of McCaulley, medical, May 1; Mrs. Roy Hart, medical, May 1; Henry White, medical, May 2; Bruce Hallmark, medical, May 2; Harry Stacy, medical, May 2; Mrs. Harold Lee, medical, May 3; Mrs. Cleo Pettit, medical, May 3; Royce Wisener of Stamford, medical, May 3; Mrs. Billy Pool, medical, May 3; Betsy Maberry, medical, May 3; T. P. Nail, medical, May 4; R. T. Spaulding, medical, May 4; Mrs. W. L. Meeks, medical, May 4; Merle Copeland, medical, May 4; Sharon Embry, medical, May 4.

Patients Dismissed—John Seaborough, April 29; Joe Clark of Roby, April 29; Gus Travis, April 29; Gary Wayne Cowan, April 30; Paul Herrera, May 1; Arba

Burgess, May 1; Mrs. Wilton Hayes, May 2; E. S. Williams, May 2; Mrs. Audrey Hodnett, May 2; Mrs. Jack Townley, May 2; Mrs. Floyd Winslett, May 3; Mrs. R. H. Cooley, May 3; Peter Camacho, May 3; Mrs. Clyde Lewis, May 3; Mrs. V. R. Spivey, May 3; Mrs. Joe Rivers, May 3; Harry Stacy, May 3; Mrs. C. E. Gregory, May 4; Mrs. Clarence Miller, May 4; Mrs. R. T. Whitehead of Blackwell, May 4; W. F. Brannon of Peacock, May 4; Mrs. R. H. Cooley, May 3; Peter Camacho, May 3; Mrs. C. E. Gregory, May 4; Mrs. Jack Townley, May 2; Mrs. Max Trevino, May 1; Mrs. Clarence Miller, May 4; Mrs. R. T. Whitehead, May 4.

Moisture Conditions In Santa Fe Region Generally Adequate

Moisture conditions generally in Texas are adequate to excessive except in the area west of San Angelo and south of Lubbock, according to the monthly crop condition report of the Santa Fe Railway, just issued for May.

Wheat in the important High Plains counties continues to improve, as additional moisture is received; however, there are numerous fields which are blowing severely because of lack of ade-

quate vegetative cover where heavy rains have packed the soil. Corn, sorghum and cotton planting is well along in North and East Texas and is underway in the Low Rolling Plains. In the Coastal Bend area, corn and some of the sorghum crops are nearly knee high. Planting of potatoes and carrots in the Hereford-Muleshoe area is underway; however, the cool weather has delayed growth of these crops.

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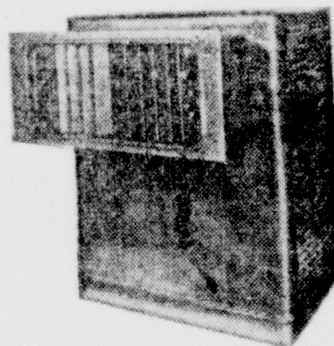
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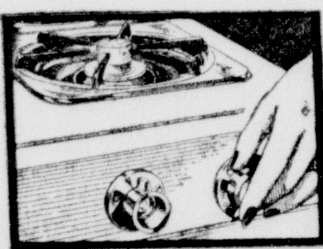
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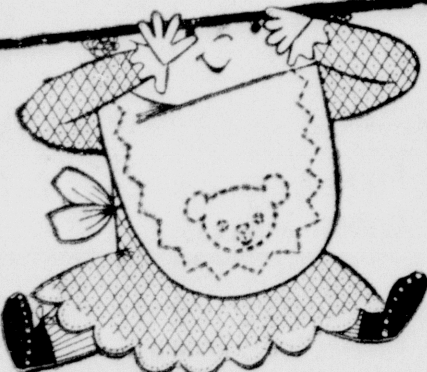
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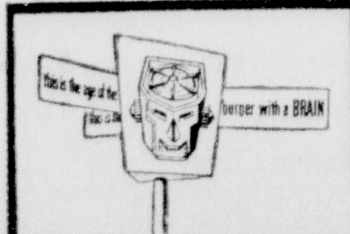
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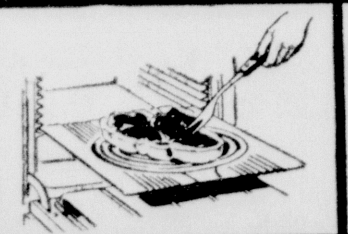
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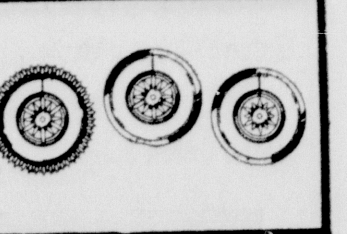
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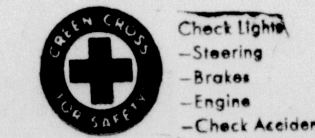
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Methodist Youth Fellowship Plans Vesper Services

Members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will have charge of the vesper service Sunday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. Bill Murff, MYF president for next year, will preside. This will be the youth emphasis of National Family Week, which closes Sunday, Rev. Daris L. Egger, pastor, points out.

In special observance the Girls' Sextet of the Chanters of McMurry College at Abilene will present a special 30-minute sacred music concert at the vesper service. Appearing on the program are Betty Shewbert of Lubbock, Jo Ann Poulten of San Angelo, Barbara Haddox of Abilene, Nancy Crawford of Hereford, Anita Mashburn of Vernon and Mary Ella Bigony of Big Spring. Accom-

FINALLY LEARNED.

Having lived all four of her years on the desert, Valerie knew only toy fire engines. After moving to a small city, she was highly excited one day when a real fire engine roared into the neighborhood and put out a fire in a garage.

When all was over she rushed home to tell about it. "Mommy, I know what fire engines are for," she began breathlessly. "They un-fire things!"

SIMPLE MATTER.

Client—"How can I get this message to every married woman?"

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panist will be Rose Marie Swiedom of Abilene.

Following the worship service the sextet will be entertained in the Methodist Youth Fellowship hour in the church basement. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Alford Harden, the youth sponsor.

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ANOTHER WILT?—Warrall Jones, 17-year-old basketball star on the Booker T. Washington High School team at Conroe, shows Coach James Barnhill how he drops the ball into the basket while standing flat-footed on the floor. The six-foot 11-inch senior scored 628 points in 20 games for an average of 31.4 last season. Jones, a straight A student, is being sought by no less than 14 colleges and universities, but hasn't made a decision as yet.

VISIT FROM EAST TEXAS.

Mrs. Etta Stephenson had as her guests first of the week two nieces, Mrs. M. E. Boyd and Mrs. J. D. Spence of Sulphur Springs.

ANNIVERSARY THOUGHT.

Mrs. G. — "Well, Henry, we've been married 40 years, and in all that time you've never deceived me."

Mr. G. — "Why, thank you, dear."

Mrs. G. — "And I must say you have tried hard enough."

Melvin M Hunter Dies Monday at Veterans Hospital

Melvin Marion Hunter, 69-year-old farmer of the McCauley community, who had been ill for more than two years, died Monday of last week in a Phoenix, Arizona, veterans hospital, where he had been a patient for several months.

Born May 25, 1887, at Tioga, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hunter. He came with his family to the McCauley community 65 years ago, and since manhood had farmed in the community for nearly a half century. He was a member of the McCauley Baptist Church.

Burial was in the McCauley Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Virgil Steele, Rufus Herbst, Bill Owens, Ernest Webb, Bill Kean, Cecil Woods and Raymond Meirs.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the McCauley Baptist. Rev. Gene Y. Brock, pastor, officiated at the rites.

Survivors include three brothers, Carl Hunter of Dallas, O. D. Hunter of Dallas and Joe Hunter of Fort Worth; one sister, Ruth Hunter of Fort Worth; and four nieces.

SOMETHING IN COMMON.

Mike—"I'm going to see the doctor about my wife. I don't like the way she looks."

Ike—"I'll go with you; I don't like the looks of mine either."

T. A. Jean, Farmer Of Area 40 Years, Dies Wednesday

After more than 40 years of farming and ranching in the territory west of Hamlin, T. A. Jean, died last Wednesday at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital at the age of 79. He had been in ill health for about five years, and had been a patient at the hospital for nine months.

Born at Blum, Hill County, on October 17, 1877, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jean. He married the former Donie Heath at Blum on August 21, 1898. He moved to West Texas in 1916, where he had farmed and ranched in the Hitson community, six miles west of Hamlin, for many years.

Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. He was a member of the Hitson Baptist Church. Officiating were Rev. R. A. Guthrie, Hitson pastor; Rev. Calvin Bailey, pastor of the First Baptist Church; Rev. Woodrow McHugh, pastor of North Central Avenue Baptist Church; and Rev. R. E. Tiner, pastor of Sunset Baptist Church.

Interment was in the Afton Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were grandsons of the pioneer farmer.

Surviving Jean are his wife, Mrs. Donie Jean; three sons, V. M. Jean and M. S. Jean of Hamlin and T. A. Jean Jr. of Wichita Falls; four daughters, Mrs. Addie Humphrey of Mesquite, Mrs. Ethel Caldwell of Hamlin, Mrs. Eunice Flint of Haskell and Mrs. Edna Branch of Odessa; two brothers, G. T. Sipe of Hamlin and W. C. Sipe of Kingman, Arizona; one sister, Mrs. Sallie Coady of Covington; 15 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

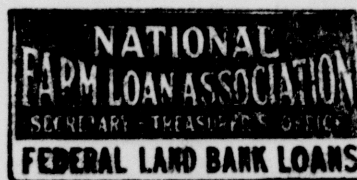
Church of Nazarene Slates Installation Ceremonies Sunday

Installation ceremonies will be conducted at the Church of the Nazarene next Sunday for officers and teachers of the church for the coming year, announces Rev. Bill Hanna, the pastor.

The following officers will be installed: W. Moore, J. W. Reynolds, R. Reynolds and E. Smith, trustees; Mary Bigham, J. Dillingham, Mrs. J. Norton, Mrs. I. Parker and Mrs. M. Perdue, stewards; Mrs. B. Hanna, Mrs. W. H. Murphree and Mrs. J. R. Norton, church school board.

Missionary Society—Mrs. C. E. LeBaume, president; Mrs. Bill Hanna, vice president; Mrs. W. H. Murphree, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. R. Cary, chairman of study; Youth Society—Odean Murphree, president; Mrs. R. Cary, vice president; and Patty Bigham, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Ina L. Parker will be installed as church treasurer for another year, and Mrs. M. Perdue as church secretary.

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ROBY, TEXAS



FHA PRESIDENT — Linda Lark of Midland was elected president of the Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America in Dallas. She turned down a chance to become DeMolay Sweetheart in Midland to take the homemaker post.

SISTER IMPROVED.

Mrs. Charlie Sellers has returned home from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. I. A. Millhorn at Baytown, who is reported improved following an auto accident. Mrs. Millhorn sustained a broken arm in the accident.

NECKING AROUND.

"What has 24 legs, green eyes and a pink body with purple stripes?"
"I don't know. Why?"
"It's crawling around your neck."

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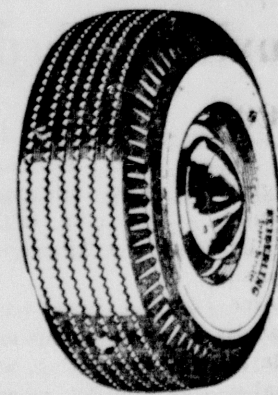
Fifty-five new books have been added to the Harden Memorial Library. They are the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Payne of Corpus Christi, friends of Mrs. Karen Harden Bynum.

Most of the books are best selling fiction of the past five years. Others are historical and biographical works.

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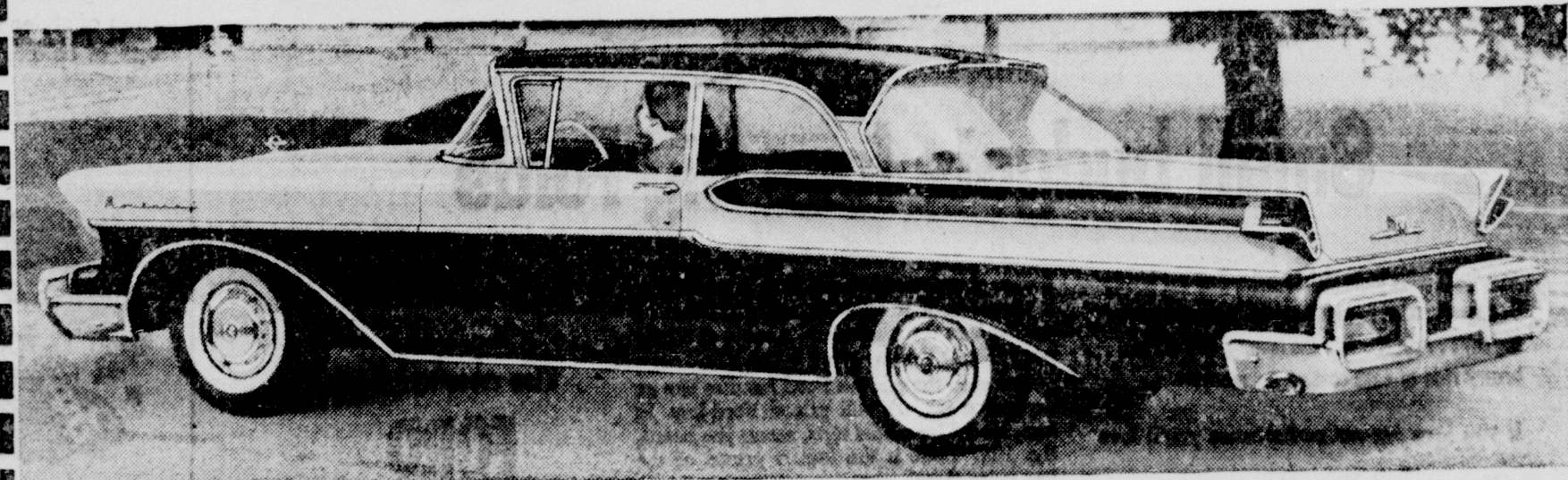
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